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ALMSHOUSE POISONING

The Officials Still Unable to Explain the Mystery

The Whole Matter to be Thoroughly Investigated —The Theory of Criminal Intent Possible But Not Probable—Dr. Huntress Talks on Case

There are no new developments in the poisoning case at the state hospital in Tewksbury.

The committee appointed to investigate has not yet started in. Dr. Huntress said this morning that he would not be able to go to Tewksbury today and the committee will not be there.

Dr. Nichols has gone to Boston on business and the committee will inaugurate its investigation Monday morning. Relative to the report, as stated in The Sun, that a legislative committee would be appointed to investigate the poisoning case and the affairs at the hospital in general, Dr. Huntress said today that he did not believe there was any foundation to the report. If it was true, he said, either Dr. Nichols or the trustees would have received some official notification of it.

Thomas Smith, the nurse who had charge of the ward in which the poisoning occurred, is still on duty. Dr. Nichols says Smith will not be suspended or discharged unless crime or negligence is fastened upon him.

How did the poison get into the medicine?

Did it reach the medicine or was it in the water?

These two questions are very prominent in the investigation. Water from one of the pitchers was injected into a guinea pig for the purpose of ascertaining if it contained belladonna poison. It is understood that there was a little difference of opinion with the doctors as to its effect.

One doctor said he noticed a pronounced dilation of the pupils of the little animal's eyes, but the other doctor didn't notice it and the majority ruling it was decided that the water did not contain the poison.

Dr. Nichols places the utmost confidence in Smith. He has had charge of that ward for several months and the doctor says he is a faithful attendant.

The fact remains, however, that the poison reached eleven men of the fifty patients in that ward. They were the only patients in that ward for whom medicine had been prepared that night and the poison either got to the medicine or to the water.

The medicine and the water were on a tray in the medicine closet. There was belladonna in the same closet and while the sensationalist might paint a word picture of a murderous patient, aching to enjoy the death struggles of his fellowmen, creeping from his cot in the ward to the medicine chest and extracting therefrom the deadly poison, pour noiselessly into the medicines or the water, and as noiselessly creep back to bed, this theory is highly improbable. Its only recommendation is that it is possible. The nurses say that there is not an hour in the night but that at least twelve of the fifty patients are awake. If that is so it would be pretty hard for a man to leave his cot and distribute poison in eleven different medicines, even though insanity might add to his cunning, without being detected.

Mr. Smith is positive that the medicine chest, or closet was locked. He was absent from the ward for several minutes at a time and if the closet was open during his absence it would open the possibility for a patient to do the trick. All of the patients were cross-questioned by the doctors Tuesday morning and they all professed innocence of the affair. Mr. Smith was examined and he too declared that he was not responsible and he couldn't throw the least bit of light on the attempt at murder. None of the patients were known to have a grievance and consequently, in the absence of a motive, there was no room for suspicion. It may be that Thomas Smith used the belladonna by mistake, but as the medicines were all different it could hardly happen that he would make the mistake all around.

The committee appointed to investigate has not yet done anything of any consequence. A few inquiries have been made, but the solution to the mystery is as far away as ever. Although the committee has taken the matter in hand the real inquiry will be made by Drs. Nichols and Drake. They will have to search for the motive and then for the criminal.

The committee is satisfied, as is Dr. Nichols, that it was not a mistake. If they can prove exclusive opportunity on the part of the nurse, Mr. Smith, it will be up to him to pull himself out of the hole.

This investigation will not be a whitewashed one. It will have to be thorough for the people interested in the case including the relatives of other inmates, are up in arms and the desire to have the matter sifted is universal.

The Sun has already stated that ugly stories are being told relative to the hospital management past and present. There may or may not be solid foundation to all the stories told, but they are in circulation and when anything of a serious nature, such as the poisoning case, occurs the stories are revived and the alleged blackness of the institution's past looms up in all its horrible detail. The Butler investigation is fresh in the minds of the people and it is well known that it is much harder to reform an institution than to reform a man.

In justice to Dr. Nichols it can be stated that those who have come in close contact with him hold him in high regard. They say he is a conscientious man, in love with his work. A woman who served as a nurse in the insane ward under Dr. Nichols was seen by The Sun reporter last evening. She said: "He is one of the most conscientious men that I ever met. While I will admit that it is possible for things to go amiss in the institution unbeknown to him, I am sure that he would not tolerate any wrong doing. He was very strict and as well fitted as a man could be for his position. I am sure that he will investigate this affair thoroughly and impartially."

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness; light, variable winds.

HOME AGAIN

JAMES P. WALSH RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL.

James P. Walsh, who for the past two weeks has been confined to a bed in the Carney hospital, Boston, as the result of a fall from a 60-foot staging, was discharged from the hospital yesterday and taken to his home, 164 Coburn street, this city.

Mr. Walsh's leg is encased in a plaster paris cast, while his shoulder is harnessed, but with the aid of his friends and a pair of crutches he got along all right. It will be some time before he can get around again, but he is on the mend and feels better at home.

THE 25TH DISTRICT

A WORD IN BEHALF OF THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

The candidates in the 25th district are proceeding along quiet lines and there is every indication that the republicans will bump into a big surprise when the votes in that district have been counted.

Mr. McManmon came within 25 votes of election last year and is confident of winning this year. He has many assurances of success.

John T. Hendricks, another staunch nominee in this district, is a well-known member of the A. O. H., the Foresters, the Emmet club, and many other organizations. He has a strong backing and would make a good representative in the general court. He is employed in the health department and is quite popular among his associates.

Ex-Councilman Roarke, the third candidate in this district, has a strong claim on the voters of ward seven in having helped to put through the order for the Aiken street extension.

The voters should send all three to the legislature.

SPINDLE CITY WHEELMEN.

The Spindle City Wheelmen opened their social season last night by conducting a dancing party in Prescott hall. The biters showed their friends that they were just as much at home dancing as they were in kicking the pedals. Kittredge's singing orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and an order of sixteen numbers was carried out.

The party was under the management of the following officers: General manager, P. R. Monahan; assistant manager, Oswald O'Heir; floor director, George E. Grady; assistant floor director, A. Bolton; chief aid, C. C. Tinker; aids, A. G. Foster, C. P. Foster, H. H. Farr, A. Duncan, C. Halstead, P. Kingsbury, P. Nilley, V. Farrington, L. Mason, A. Hoyle, H. S. Royer, W. Dunne, H. Humblett, R. J. Young; reception committee, Jack Everson, chairman; Fred Rourke, F. Baily, T. Brown, J. Boyers, W. Ineson, W. Ireson, E. Soule, R. W. Eastman, Dr. Murphy.

JUMPED TRACK

Accident on the Electric Road at Billerica

One of the large vestibule electric cars on the Lexington & Boston line jumped the track as it was entering the subway under the railroad track in Billerica, about one mile from the centre.

Though a number of passengers were on the car at the time, no one was hurt. The car was running slowly at the time.

As the car went off on a down grade it was very difficult to replace it on the rails and in order not to delay traffic the superintendent of the Lexington & Boston road telephoned word into this city to see if the Boston & Northern railroad would allow their motormen to run a mile beyond the centre until the derailed car was placed on the rails.

The local road agreed to allow their men to run on the Lexington line, provided that the starter at the centre would pilot the cars over the line between the centre and where the accident occurred.

NO QUORUM

COMMITTEE ON EXPLOSIVES FAILED TO GO OFF.

The committee on explosives did not meet yesterday, as was intended, as a quorum failed to put in an appearance at the appointed hour.

ESTIMATES ASKED

FOR BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE IN CENTRALVILLE.

The committee on education of the city council at its meeting last evening discussed briefly the building of the new grammar school in Centralville and after a brief consultation it was voted to instruct the chairman to secure estimates from the superintendent of public buildings on the cost of an eight, twelve and sixteen room brick building suitable for grammar school purposes.

The meeting was attended by the chairman, Alderman Gallagher, and Alderman Miskella and Councilman Brown.

FINN WINS

IN CASE AGAINST GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

The jury in the case of Martin vs. the Lowell Gas Light Co., returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $500 yesterday afternoon. Messrs. J. J. and W. A. Hogan appeared for the plaintiff while F. E. Dunbar was counsel for the defense.

THE RICHARDSON HOUSE.

The Richardson House, opposite the Middlesex street station, has passed into the hands of Thomas Hoban, proprietor of the Lowell Inn. It is understood that all papers will be signed and passed over today. The price paid for the property was $60,000.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

POET 10¢ CIGAR NOTHING BETTER

LIEUT.-GOV. SPOKE

J. H. GUILLET, ESQ.

At the French-Democratic Rally

A rousing democratic rally with the largest crowd seen in the club house for a long time was held by the French American democrats of this city in L'Association Catholique hall, last evening at which the guest of honor and principal speaker was Hon. Adelard Archambeault of Woonsocket, R. I., lieutenant-governor of the state. French-Americans regardless of party turned out to do honor to their distinguished compatriot and in the large audience were noted many prominent French-Americans. A familiar figure conspicuous by his absence was J. L. Chalifoux, who only a few days ago made an eloquent democratic speech in Birmingham, Ala., where he is visiting his Southern business establishment.

A short street parade escorting Lieut.-Gov. Archambeault to the hall was held prior to the rally, the National band furnishing music, and upon arrival at the hall a brief reception was held in the drawing room of the club-house.

At 8.30 the speakers and vice-presidents filed upstairs and took seats on the platform, headed by Joseph Dextra, the "old war horse" of the French democracy. The others on the platform with Lieut.-Gov. Archambeault were J. H. Guillet, Esq., who presided; ex-Rep. Amedee Cloutier of Lawrence; Pierre H. Authier, Esq., of Webster; Alderman Joseph O. Authier of Cambridge, candidate for county treasurer; J. B. D. Jacques, Esq., of Salem, formerly of Lowell; Rep. Michael J. Mahoney, candidate for state senator; John J. McManmon, candidate for representative in the 25th district; John J. Pinder, candidate for representative in the 26th district; George E. Ward, candidate for representative in the 26th district; Purchasing Agent Rourke; Elzear H. Choquette; John T. Hendricks, candidate for representative in the 25th district; Robert F. Conroy, candidate for representative in the 26th district; Dr. Adelard Payette; Adelard Landry, and Ernest Bernard.

The speaking for the most part was in French and that it was eloquent is judged by the frequent and general applause.

Mr. Joseph Dextra, who was the leading spirit in arranging the rally and a democratic hustler for years back, called the meeting to order and made a strong appeal for a big French vote on election day. If the French people would see their interests prosper, he said, they must shake off their apathy and get all out at the polls. He also spoke on the benefits of naturalization.

J. H. Guillet, who was introduced as the presiding officer, made a brief but ringing speech on the democratic party as the party of the men who toil for a living. He pictured the fact that the best interests of the working people are interwoven with the interests of the democratic party, the party of the masses.

He then introduced J. B. Q. Jacques and afterward Mr. Authier of Webster, both of whom spoke briefly in French urging their hearers to vote for the candidates of the people as found in the democratic ranks.

When the chairman introduced Michael J. Mahoney the audience gave the latter a royal welcome, the applause lasting several minutes. Mr. Mahoney spoke briefly in English. He thanked the French voters of ward six especially for the fine support they had accorded him in his contests for the legislature and asked the support of all the French-Americans on next Tuesday.

Robert F. Conroy was then introduced and he received a generous round of applause. Mr. Conroy pledged himself to work for better labor legislation if elected and the audience showed its appreciation of his sentiments in its applause.

John J. Pinder was warmly welcomed and he spoke briefly in English.

LIEUT. GOV. ARCHAMBEAULT.

Chairman Guillet then recalled the successful record of the French people in Rhode Island, who have representatives not only in the municipal positions and in the legislature, but can boast of one of their ranks in the second position in the gift of the state. The mention of Lieut. Gov. Archambeault's name was the signal for great applause, followed by uproarious cheers and a tiger. The lieutenant-governor in the beginning made a humorous reference to the republicans present, too hardened sinners, he said, to be converted even if the grace which works miracles existed in politics, which it does not.

He then quoted Napoleon's statement that a country is prosperous not only when it produced great quantities of things, but when these things were within the reach of the people. In this country with its vast resources and easy means of transportation we find everything so expensive that even beef is beyond the means of the poor working man. This condition of affairs is due solely to the fiscal policy of the republican party. The speaker placed the responsibility with the trusts and then explained the trust system in an intelligent and comprehensive manner, showing its deplorable effect upon the small dealers and working class. The democratic party would protect producers, but not to the extent of annihilating the small in the interest of the great.

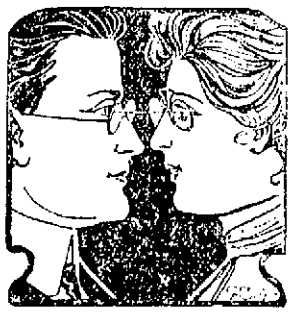
The speaker touched upon the question of reciprocity with Canada in an interesting manner. The democratic party, he said, appreciative of the fact that Canada is the third best market, ranking after England and Germany as a field for Americans, saw the wisdom of keeping Canada on reciprocal terms with this country. But the republican party is maintaining a policy of exclusion with Canada and if this is continued Canada out of patience will rise up and pay back the United States in its own coin and a great market will be lost to this country. The spirit of paying the United States back by a Canadian exclusive policy is daily growing among the leading statesmen of Canada. Only the trust policy of the republican party prevents reciprocity with Canada becoming a fact.

In conclusion, the speaker expressed the hope that Massachusetts, as well as Rhode Island, would this year witness the victory of democratic principles.

Joseph O. Authier of Cambridge was the final speaker and the rally closed with cheers for Gaston, Archambeault and the entire democratic ticket.

Lieut. Gov. Archambeault was the guest over night of Lawyer and Mrs. Guillet at their home in Wentworth avenue. He will be the guest at dinner today of Dr. and Mrs. Payette, Dr. Payette being a former classmate of his at L'Assumption college, and both likewise having been born in the same parish, St. Paul L'Ermite, Que. He will return to Woonsocket this afternoon.

Mind your doctor. He says: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs." J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.



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Notice to Contractors—Sealed proposals for building a section of state highway about 600 feet in length in the town of Ashland will be received by the Massachusetts Highway Commission at its office, 20 Pemberton square, Boston, Mass., until 12 m. on Thursday, November 5, 1903, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

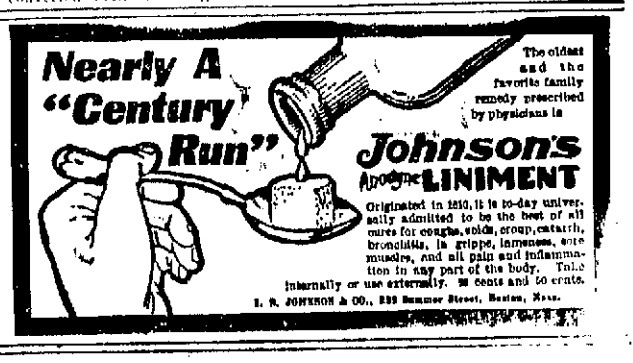
Bids must be made upon blanks to be furnished by the commission.

A pamphlet containing the necessary information and blanks will be furnished on application, upon receipt of a deposit of $2.00, said amount to be returned if the person taking the pamphlet makes a bid for the work on the form provided in said pamphlet, or returns the pamphlet at or before the time of the opening of the bids.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of $250, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. E. McCLINTOCK,
HAROLD PARKER,
JOHN H. MANNING,
Massachusetts Highway Commission.
Boston, Oct. 30, 1903.



Philip Hale Writes the Musical Criticisms in the Boston Sunday Herald

Next Sunday:

Richard Henry Stoddard will contribute a story on The Heart of Hamlet, incidental to the life of Edwin Booth.

In Lighter Vein:

John Kendrick Bangs, Joe Smith, McCluskey, Hank Spink and Katherine LaFarge Norton will contribute.

100 Other Attractions.

LEITER'S CHARGE

Made Against His Former Partner

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—An echo of the great rise and still greater fall in the price of International Power company shares on the stock exchange in April, 1902, has been heard in the supreme court. Joseph H. Hoadley, alleged to have been connected with the pool which worked up the stock, is charged in an affidavit filed by Joseph Leiter, his former partner, with having induced the witness to take a half interest in the purchase of 1000 shares for $183,000, which he now believes were sold to Leiter and Hoadley by Hoadley himself. Soon they were forced to sell at $50. Mr. Leiter thus being "squeezed" by his partner, he alleges, for the sum of $65,000. The affidavit was brought out by the defendant firm of James H. Leonold & Co., who have been sued by Alfred H. Hoadley, an aveighee, brother of Joseph. The brokers say they have a claim of $82,000 against $150,000 worth of International Power company stock deposited with them by Cyrus Field Johnson. The Hoadleys seek to stop a sale, alleging their property.

Judge Amend has taken the case under advisement.

Leiter and Hoadley were affiliated in the organization of the company, but the former testified that all relations between them in the marketing of their stocks ceased in 1902.

Hoadley left the city Sunday on his way south, but was taken ill at Philadelphia and is said to be in a serious condition.

ARMENIAN ASSAILANTS

SAID TO BELONG TO THE LOWER CLASS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

TIFLIS, Russian trans-Caucasia, Oct. 30.—The three men who attacked Prince Galitzin, the governor-general of the Caucasus on the outskirts of this city Tuesday, while he was out driving with his wife, and who were subsequently killed by Cossacks, have been identified as belonging to the lower class of Armenians.

GONE TO MIDWAY ISLAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HONOLULU, Oct. 30—The U. S. tug Iriquois has just left for Midway Island with stores on board for the cable station there, to replace those lost on the schooner Julia E. Whalen, which struck on a reef north of the island about a week ago, becoming a total wreck, her cargo and mails being lost. The Iriquois will bring back the crew of the Whalen on her return trip.

BURNED TO DEATH

HORRIBLE FATE OF WELL-KNOWN LAWYER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

FRANKFORT, Ky., Oct. 30—Attorney William H. Julian, one of the best known lawyers in Kentucky, was burned to death at midnight in his office. It is not known how the fire originated, but it is presumed Mr. Julian stumbled as he entered his room and fell into an open fire place, before which his body was found. He was 50 years old and unmarried.

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ALASKAN AWARD

Lodge and Turner Remain Silent

SENATORS WILL NOT DISCUSS THE DECISION

Say They Were Well Treated

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—On account of their official connection with the Alaskan tribunal, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts and former Senator Turner, of the state of Washington, declined to discuss the award of the tribunal on their arrival here today. Senator Lodge said that the members of the tribunal had been very handsomely treated while in London but as one of the arbitrators he could not even venture to say that he was satisfied with the award and declined to say anything about the attitude of the Canadian commissioners in refusing to sign the award. He said the calling together of congress in special session was no surprise to him as he had known of it before leaving the United States. He leaves for Boston tonight.

Joseph Pope, representative of the Canadian government and one of the assistant secretaries of the tribunal, said that the award was of course a disappointment from the Canadian point of view, but offered no further comment, appearing anxious, however, to ascertain how the decision had been received in Canada. He and Mrs. Pope left immediately for Ottawa.

Later in the day, former Senator George Turner, another American member of the tribunal said, concerning the decision:

"I do not care to go into the subject, nor do I want to appear in the position of summing up the advantages the decision will give us over Canada. I am, however, of the opinion that the decision was most just and honorable. I regard it as fortunate that the commission was able to agree. I consider this a step forward in the settlement of all future disputes. They cannot be settled in an amicable manner."

Mr. Turner was asked whether he had heard a report that the Canadians charged that Lord Alverstone had been practically won over by kindness. To this he made reply:

"I do not think such a thing could be. If anything, the hospitality and kindness was on his side. He was hospitable to all commissioners and entertained us at his country place. The question to be settled was one of right under the international law. Lord Alverstone, who is an eminent jurist, settled the case on its merits."

Mr. Turner was not willing to discuss the method of reaching the agreement, but it was admitted that the decision giving two of the islands in the Portland canal to the United States was based on Vancouver's narrative of his voyage of exploration. The question hinged on whether he had called the water to the south of the islands the channel or whether he had gone to the north of them. It was found that he recorded having gone from the entrance to a point of land above the islands in a certain time. To do this it was figured that he entered the broad channel, followed it up and turned in between the four islands. This led the commissioners to decide that the two islands lying near the mouth of the canal and opposite Port Simpson belonged to the United States.

Mr. Turner, while he was not willing to discuss in detail the subject, admitted that this was true.

Speaking of these two islands, Mr. Turner said:

"The islands lie opposite Port Simpson. The channel is two and a half miles wide between the port and the islands. They are of very little value to us, except from a strategical standpoint. I believe that the new transcontinental railroad which is to be built north of the Canadian Pacific, will have Port Simpson for its Pacific terminal. This makes the islands of importance to Canada. The Vancouver narrative was brought forward and it was on this narrative that the decision was reached."

WAR DEPARTMENT

MAKES PUBLIC FINDING IN HOWSE CASE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30—The war department today made public the report and findings in the case of Major Robert L. Howse, charged with cruelty in the Philippines.

The findings of the board exonerate Major Howse, who was then lieutenant-colonel commanding the district where the alleged cruelties took place. This part of the findings is approved by the War department. The second part of the findings declared that although Major Hunter, who made the first investigation of the case, was unfriendly to Major Howse, the investigation was fair and impartial so far as it extended.

The department disapproves this portion of the findings as contradictory in terms and not warranted by the testimony elicited by the board during the progress of its investigation.

LEAVING BROCKTON

FIRM WILL ESTABLISH IN AUBURN, Me.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEWISTON, Me., Oct. 30.—The Evening Journal says:

On Monday, November 9, the Brockton manufacturing firm of Field Bros. & Gross will put their machinery on the cars at Brockton, Mass., and begin moving to Auburn.

This was the information tendered to the Journal from authoritative source at Auburn.

It is understood the Brockton firm will bring little of the old help, preferring to hire employes in Auburn if possible. The concern will employ several hundred hands.

WOMAN FELL DEAD

WHILE BEING CONGRATULATED BY WELL WISHERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct 30—While being congratulated by a number of women friends on her 25th birthday, at her temporary residence in Brooklyn, Miss Beatrice Rosenthal, eldest daughter of the late Adolph Rosenthal, a wealthy jeweler of Charleston, N. C., uttered a cry and fell unconscious at the feet of her well-wishers. When medical aid arrived she was dead.

Two years ago Miss Rosenthal's father died in Charleston, leaving his fortune to Beatrice and her sister. The former came here to study.

GOES INTO LIQUIDATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30—The stockholders of the Suffolk National bank, which recently passed into the control of the Second National bank, voted today to liquidate the bank's affairs.

HARPUT IS QUIET.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30—Advices received today by the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, from Thomas L. Norton, United States consul at Harput, show that this formerly disturbed city is now quiet, a condition which is the result, the consul says, of the vigor and wisdom which has characterized the administration of the new governor of the province. Mr. Morton adds that the city is as peaceful as at any time during his five years service as consul.

ROXBURGHE-GOELET WEDDING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct 30—Arrangements for the wedding of Miss May Goelet and the Duke of Roxburghe are almost completed and it has been finally decided that the ceremony shall occur in this city at St. Thomas church November 10.

It will be an afternoon wedding attended by little display and there will be not more than 200 guests, owing to the recent bereavement in the Goelet family.

SCHOONER ASHORE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—The Oake Island life saving station reports this morning the schooner Belle Bartlett, Captain Gambol, which sailed from St. Vincent, C. V. I., Sept. 29, is ashore at Zachs inlet bar on the south shore of Long Island. The captain and crew of 12 men and 10 passengers, bound for New Bedford, Mass., were landed in a surf boat by the Zachs Inlet life savers.

WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWTON, Mass., Oct. 30.—Reports of officers which showed the condition and progress satisfactory to the delegates were presented by officers of the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage Association at the annual convention which opened in the First Unitarian church at West Newton today. Miss Anne Blackwell, chairman of the state board of directors of the association, reporting for that body, stated that several matters of importance had been satisfactorily adjusted during the year. The report of Treasurer William L. Garrison showed the association to be financially prosperous.

A brief business meeting this afternoon was followed by a public meeting at which addresses were made by Gorham D. Gilman of Boston, Mrs. Florence Kelley of New York, secretary of the national consumers' league and Rev. Anna H. Shaw of New York.

MONEY ON CALL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30, Noon.—Money on call firm at 4 a 5; prime mercantile paper 5½ a 7.

Exchanges $157,233,633.

Balances $8,794,063.

FINAL DIVIDEND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct 30—The National City bank of Boston, which went into liquidation in 1898, has declared a final dividend in liquidation of $1 per share, payable Nov. 10, upon surrender of certificates of stock for cancellation. This makes a total dividend of $104 per share and in liquidation. When the bank closed the stock was selling at $5 and was not paying dividends.

BRITISH PAPERS

Predicted Collapse of Ship-Building Co.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—Andrew Carnegie, who, with his wife and daughter, returned from Europe today, believes that the collapse of the United States Ship-building company was not without good results. He said, concerning the failure:

"It was no surprise. The British papers have been predicting it right along. It will result in a salutary reduction of values and bring everything to a healthy condition. It's a good thing to squeeze the water out of some stocks. The standard securities are as good as ever."

In reply to a question whether the Schwab methods had been severely criticized in England he said:

"That was inevitable. When a man is down everybody is ready to kick him."

Of the Alaskan boundary decision, he said:

"It cannot be called a victory for this country, exactly, because the other side had a very poor case. I have read all the evidence which was before the commission very carefully and am satisfied that Lord Alverstone could not have decided differently. I hope the outcome of this will be that the Anglo-Celtic race will get together. We ought not to go on as a divided race. Canada should merge—no, Canada should annex the United States as Scotland did England. Yes, let Canada annex the United States and we'll look after the mother country afterwards. I can tell you one thing. If Senators Lodge and Turner had done for England what they have accomplished for the United States in this matter and were returning home they would have met with the greatest reception in the harbor that you can imagine. The country would have opened its heart to them."

DESIGNER WATSON

WANTS ESTIMATES FOR NEW RACING SCHOONER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30.—George T. Watson, the yacht designer, is inviting estimates for building a new racing schooner. Haste is stipulated, the intention being to have her in readiness for the trans-Atlantic race for the cup offered by Emperor William. It is suggested that the boat is to be built for King Edward; but there is no confirmation of the report. The secret of the ownership of the new yacht is carefully guarded. The specifications and plans show she will be an exceptionally large and powerful boat, with 95 feet water-line and canvased to full racing trim. Her main boom will be over one hundred feet long.

GOODEVE RESIGNS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 30.—A. S. Goodeve, provincial secretary, has placed his resignation in the hands of Premier McBride. He was defeated at the recent election.

WILL PAY DIVIDEND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

GREENFIELD, Mass., Oct. 30.—F. L. Fish, national examiner and receiver of the Packard National bank, is hopeful that a substantial dividend will be paid to the stockholders of the bank early in December and perhaps sooner.

The depositors, it is believed, will be paid in full.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30.—Exchanges, $20,396,982; Balances, $1,969,673.

CASHIER HAMMOND DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 30.—C. W. Hammond, vice-president and cashier of the People's bank, died today.

An Ounce of Prevention

is worth a pound of cure, according to the old saying.

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A handsome line of Untrimmed Shapes for 25c, 48c, 75c, 98c.

Large White Maribout Pompons, very full plumage, for 48c.

Round Coque Pompons in black and white, 25c.

Beautiful Boas of Coque's feathers, for 98c.

Ostrich Plumes, 18 inches long for 75c; 9 inches long for 37c.

Breasts in all shades, 25c. Quills, 5c to 10c.

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A special line of Children's Trimmed School Hats in all colors, for 48c.

Another beautiful line of Children's Hats, trimmed with silk ribbon and rosettes, for 98c.

A beautiful line of White Camel's Hair Hats for 98c, for Saturday; regular price $1.75.

A handsome line of White Camel's Hair Hats, trimmed with pompons and velvets, for $1.98.

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These Teas are all of the crop of 1903.

100 Stamps on 1 lb. Baking Powder, the best in the city..... 50c

50 Stamps on 1 lb. Coffee, Mocha and Java 30c

50 Stamps on ½ lb. Baking Powder 25c

And double stamps on every sale in our store on all purchases made until 6.30 p.m. Thursday, November 5, 1903. You can fill your book on the rush if you buy your goods from us.

See Friday's paper of next week.

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Men's Black Unfinished Worsted Overcoats, 52 in. long.....$20.00

Men's Fancy Scotch Plaid Cheviot Half Belt Overcoats, $12.00 to $18.00

Men's Blue, Black and Brown Kersey Overcoats, box make, 36 inches long, full back.....$10.00 to $15.00

Men's Oxford Grey, Blue, Black and Brown Kersey Overcoats, medium length.....$6.00 to $20.00

Men's Black Frieze Overcoats, raw edge, all wool..... $8.00

Men's Blue, Black and Brown Kersey Overcoats, medium length $6.00

Men's Rain Coats in Fancy Scotch Mixtures and Worsteds, $10.00 to $16.00

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Many a man who has been fooled by the "Pay When Cured" racket, knows that it is the last and only resort of a dying-out pretenders to get a patient into his clutches. Beware of such schemes. Don't be deceived by misleading statements such as these seemingly charitable offers.

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Dr. Lougest's offices occupy the entire building of five floors at 313 Columbus avenue, and they are supplied with every known means and device that science, skill knowledge and money can provide that will aid in determining the exact location and nature of these diseases and effecting their cure promptly and thoroughly, and by the same sure methods as are used in the most celebrated Paris hospitals, which invariably result in

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

DARING BURGLAR

Entered Killpartrick's Spa Last Night

And Cleaned Out a Cash Register in a Well Lighted Window—Series of Breaks This Week

Burglars of the most daring type have been operating in this city during the past week, and it is believed they have made at least one dozen breaks, getting away with cash in nearly every case.

In each case prominent down town business stores have been entered, the same kind of a key being used in nearly every case.

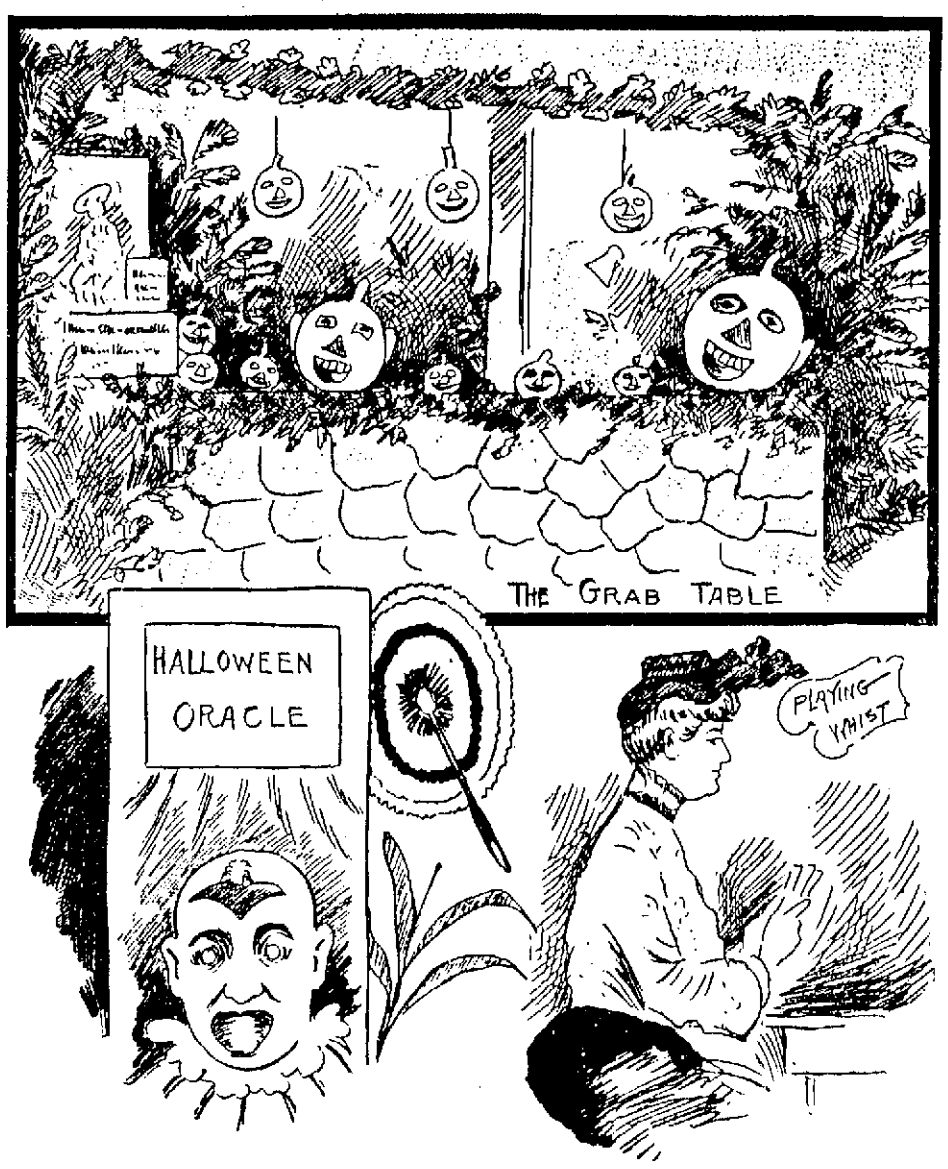
Last night, some time between 11 o'clock and daylight, the burglar or burglars entered Killpartrick Bros.' Spa in The Sun building, Merrimack square, unlocking the side door on Prescott street and taking about $20 from the small cash register in the Prescott street window.

The job must have been done in an instant, for another register not 10 feet away was not touched, nor was the third register in the fruit store. The window in which the cash register is placed is brightly lighted, while Page's Spa and Parker's lunch room, both across the street are open all night.

On the night previous Lawler's book store was entered and cash taken and examination of the keys that fit the doors opened by the burglar showed them to be about identical.

The police belive that a lone burglar and a daring one is at work and the break into the Spa would appear to be the brunt of boldness.

The police are making a rigid investigation.



SKETCHES AT THE HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL AT HUNTINGTON HALL LAST NIGHT.

SEVERE INJURY

Mrs. Leahey and Nurse in Accident

Mrs. Leahey, wife of Dr. George Leahey, a nurse girl and baby were thrown from their wagon on Pawtucket street today and the nurse, Miss Jennie Grahn, sustained a bad scalp wound, possibly concussion of the brain

It appears that a chain was laid across Pawtucket street by some men who were hauling a steamer out of the water. The chain tripped Dr. Leahey's horse and in his sudden fall, Mrs. Leahey and her girl and baby were violently thrown out.

Mrs. Leahey escaped with slight bruises, but was badly frightened. The baby escaped serious injury, unless there may be some internal injury.

Considerable indignation is felt at having such an obstruction on the public highway without somebody to guard against accident.

The ambulance was called to remove the injured girl to Dr. Leahey's home on East Merrimack street.

PAINFUL INJURY

KNIFE SLIPPED AND CUT PETER DONOGHUE'S HAND.

Peter Donoghue, aged 16 years, and residing at 9 Prospect street, while at work at Walsh's mill this morning met with a painful accident. He was cutting bobbins when the knife he was using slipped and cut his left hand between the thumb and the index finger. He was taken to the Emergency hospital, where seven stitches were taken in the wound.

ANNIVERSARY MASS

FOR REPOSE OF SOUL OF THE LATE MRS. MAGUIRE.

An anniversary mass of requiem was sung at St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock this morning for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Elizabeth V. Maguire. A large number of friends and relatives of the deceased were present, including many people from out of town. An augmented choir, under the direction of Mr. James E. Donnelly was in attendance.

LORD STRATHCONA ACCEPTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30—Lord Strathcona, Canadian high commissioner, has accepted the nomination to the chancellorship of Aberdeen university. The nomination was offered to Andrew Carnegie, who declined in favor of Lord Strathcona.

FUNERALS

ROGERSON—James Rogerson, aged one month, child of James and Annie, died last night at the home of his parents, 30 Butler avenue. This is the second death in this family in one week from diphtheria. The funeral took place this morning and the interment was in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

FAHEY—The funeral of the late Harriet Fahey took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late home, 19 Riverside avenue, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends of the deceased. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Mullin. The choir under the direction of Mr. Thomas P. Boulger sang the Gregorian mass and during the service appropriate solos were rendered by members of the choir. The bearers were Thomas Fahey, Henry Appleby, Harry Rousey and James Rowen. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. John J. Shaw. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

That neither pains nor expense have been spared, will be readily seen, by Manager Murphy, who presents to his patrons for the first time and for a limited engagement three performances of Al Reeves' grand company which will be seen here tonight and tomorrow, afternoon and evening. Among the notable artists are Andy Lewis and company, who will present a new act entitled the "Tout." Special engagement of the marvelous Van Der Koor, the only rival of Herman and Keller. Extraordinary engagement of the greatest comedy act on earth, the Tossing Austins, first appearance in burlesque houses. A clever singing, dancing and talking act. Devine and Williams. The pretty and graceful New'l Sisters. Extra feature, Katherine Dehl, the highest salaried prima donna ever engaged to appear in burlesque. Everybody knows the banjo king Al Reeves, equipped with all the new songs and funny sayings, written expressly for him by Aaron Hoffman and Andy Lewis. The two new burlettas are entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon" and "A Merry Go Round."

NEW STEAMER SERVICE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 30.—With the object of fostering the growing demands in America for Russian goods the volunteer fleet is organizing a regular passenger and freight service to ports in North America. The service will be inaugurated by the steamer Smolensk, sailing shortly from Vladivostock.

A pure cream of tartar baking powder like Cleveland's, pound for pound, will raise twice as much bread, cake and pastry as the cheap alum powders and will give you good, wholesome food.

If housewives knew the bad effects of alum baking powder upon the system you could not *give* them a can. Yet some of it is sold every day because people think it is cheap.

It is *not* cheap.

HUMANE SOCIETY

Halloween Party in Its Aid at Huntington Hall

The Halloween festival, in aid of the Lowell Humane society, which opened at Huntington hall yesterday afternoon, drew large crowds both afternoon and evening. The people of this city are ever ready to assist in making the success of any affair for charity and from the attendances yesterday there is little doubt that the present fete will prove to be the grandest success of anything ever conducted in aid of this society.

The beauty of the decorations of the hall and the different booths were described in yesterday's Sun and the different booths did a rushing business, but as each was supplied with a goodly number of willing assistants all were ready to handle the largest volume of business likely to be encountered.

Whist was the principal attraction yesterday afternoon and evening and the prize winners were as follows:

Evening—First prizes, Mrs. Guy Holbrook and Mrs. Robbins; second, Mrs. Folsom and Mrs. Gerry.

Evening—First, Mrs. O. J. Beauregard and Mrs. F. H. Kelly; second, Mrs. F. C. Goodale and Mrs. I. E. Wotton.

The prizes for the best aggregate scores, afternoon and evening, went to Mrs. Beauregard and Mrs. Kelly.

The parish supper which was held from 6.30 till eight o'clock in Jackson hall was under the auspices of a number of local churches and as most of the tickets were sold before the supper was ready tickets were selling at a premium at supper time.

A picnic will be held in Jackson hall this evening at 6.30 o'clock, and a vaudeville entertainment will be given. The most of the talent will be from the Casto theatre, in addition to which will be selections by Miss Ida Marie Rogers, followed by dancing in charge of the officers of the High school battalion. The music will be furnished by Hibbard's orchestra.

The different committees which had charge of the tables wer as follows:

Parish supper in charge of Mrs. Albert Phelar, with the following assistants:

High Street Table—Mrs. D. J. Burke, chairman; Mrs. C. H. Nelson, Mrs. William Keyes, Mrs. Joseph Hemingway, Mrs. George Brown, Mrs. Charlotte Ober, Mrs. Lizzie Owen.

Immaculate Conception Table—Miss Rose A. Dowd, chairman; Mrs. James Gookin, Mrs. C. E. Collins, Mrs. George Dunham, Mrs. Charles Brown, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. N. D. Pratt, Miss Georgia A. Harnden, Mrs. Charles F. Keyes, Miss Mary Meehan, Mrs. Thomas Murphy, Mrs. Richard Allen, Mrs. P. W. Reilly, Mrs. Hugh McOsker, Mrs. George Walker Mrs. P. F. Sullivan, Mrs. P. H. Donohoe, Mrs. Hugh Downey.

First Baptist Table—Mrs. H.H Fletcher, chairman; Mrs. S. T. Ford, Mrs. Charles E. Eveleth, Mrs. S H. Flemings, Mrs. J Flagg, Mrs. W. H. Pepin.

Kirk Street Table—Mrs. Willis E Morse, chairman; Mrs. J. J. Calif, Mrs. Anna Hovey, Mrs. F. W. Quer, Mrs. Frank Coburn, Mrs. G. L. Lawson, Mrs. M. F. Wood, Mrs. G. L. VanDeursen, Mrs. J. A. Simpson, Mrs. Marian Gerrish.

St. Anne's Table—Mrs. Benj. Walker, chairman; Mrs. C. H. Burtt, Mrs Tuttle, Mrs Littlefield, Mrs. Knowles, Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Dame, Mrs. Puffer, Mrs. Clifton.

Unitarian Table—Miss Ethel Baker, chairman; the Lend-a-hand club; Emergency Ten; Flower Ten; Busy Bees Ten; Hospital Ten; Wideawake Ten; Hale Ten; Willing Ten.

St. Joseph's Table—Mrs. Mongeau, chairman; Mrs A. E. Dozois, Mrs. P. Vigeant, Mrs. A. Jean, Mrs. J. H. Beaulieu, Mrs. L. P. Turcotte, Miss Alice Jean, Miss Florence Dozois, Miss Anna Vigeant, Miss Lucienne Turcotte.

First Universalist Table—Mrs. Guy Morey, chairman; Mrs. W. F. Lane, Mrs. George Lockwood, Mrs. Fred Emerson, Mrs. Harper, Miss Lottie Cole, Miss Elizabeth Robinson.

St. Patrick's Table—Ice Cream—Miss Abbie Staith, chairman; Mrs. R. J. Lane, Mrs. W. P. Harry, Mrs. J. E. Kelley, Mrs. James O'Connor, Mrs. D. Crowley, Mrs. A. Downing, Mrs. A. D. Coffey, Mrs. P. Gilbride, Mrs. J. F. O'Donnell, Mrs. W. A. Hogan, Mrs. H. L. Rourke.

St. Michael's Table—Mrs. A. D. Ware, chairman; Mrs. M. J. Meagher, Mrs. B. Smithson, Miss Etta Foy, Miss Margaret McCluskey, Miss Mary Mylott, Miss Agnes Fay, Miss Nora Mangan, Miss Elizabeth Mangan, Miss Belle McKee, Miss Martha Rogers, Miss Mary Fox, Miss Margaret Lynch, Miss Annie Sullivan, Mrs. Charles McCarthy.

Coffee and Tea—Mrs. Silas Shattuck and Miss E. R. Edgell.

St. John's Table—Cream—Mrs. L. C Manchester, chairman; Miss Alice Manchester.

Milk—Mrs. Anders Thomasson.

Sugar—Mrs. Andrew Jorgensen—Norwegian.

Bookkeepers—Ideal, Austin Krables Sergt. Walter Clark, Lieut. Frank Sullivan.

Ushers—Mrs. L. H. Kileski, Mrs. C. H Hobson, Mrs. H. E. Webster, Mrs. C. F Libby, Mrs. William P. Barry.

General Committee—Mrs. Albert Pinder Mrs. Guy Morey, Mrs. M. W. Noyes, Mrs Charles H. Kimball, Mrs. Frank W. Hurd Mrs. George L. Fowler, Mrs. F. D. Hall Mrs. William F. Elvin, Mrs. S. D. Kerwin.

HALLOWE'EN TABLE.

Mrs. Henry W. Church is in general charge of this table, and Mrs. Daniel Frye has charge of the fortune telling department. They will be assisted by Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Mrs. William P. Barry, Mrs. Horace P. Beals, Mrs. M. T. Coffey, Mrs. J. L. Chalifoux, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Derby, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Dennis, Mr. Daniel R. Frye, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Harrigan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Howe, Dr and. Mrs. Guy Holbrook, Mrs. Charles H. Hobson, Mrs. S. N. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin W. Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. MacBrayne, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Patten, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Prince, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Runels, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Runels, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Runels, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene G. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Richardson, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Stowell, Mrs. Solon W. Stevens, Mrs. Frank E. Shaw, Mrs. Frank E. Stowell, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stott, Mrs. C. M. Thurlow, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Turner, Mrs. Charles M. Williams, Mrs. Edward S. Woodles, Mrs. D. L. Whipple, Mrs. C. S. Colburn, Mrs. L. Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Wragg, Miss Davis, Miss Abbott, the Misses Carter, Miss Mosher, the Misses Owens, Miss Woodles, the Misses Runels, the Misses Perham, Miss Stevens, Miss Williams, Miss Spofford, the Misses Sparks, Miss Hanson, Miss Ashworth, Miss Robinson, Miss Hatch, Miss Taylor, Miss Sawyer, Miss Waller, Miss Hanchett, Miss Staples, Miss Powers, Miss Church, Hon. F. A. Fisher, James F. Owen, Esq., W. W. Duncan, Esq., C. F. Hatch, E. A. Pierre, David Moore, William E. Potter, Jr., F. S. Osterhout, Daniel McKenzie, Paul Hurtt, Harry Knowlton, Herbert E. Webster, Jr., Frank Sullivan, Schuyler Waller, Guy Gray, Freeman Hallett, Chas. Church, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Hurd.

COUNTRY STORE.

Mrs. George L. Hooper, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Charles W. Wilder and the following committee: Mrs. Charles E. Adams, Mrs. Landon Adams, Mrs. Charles H. Allen, Miss Jennie L. Allen, Mrs. Otis Allen, Mrs. T E. Bailey, Mrs. Henry W. Barnes, Mrs. F. S. Bean, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Bennett, Mrs. Charles E. Carter, Mrs. Geo. R. Chandler, Mrs. Winslow B. Clark, Mrs. Walter Coburn, Mrs. S. K. Dexter, Mrs. W. A. Dickinson, Mrs. W. W. Duncan, Mrs. Charles W. Eaton, Mrs. Edward Ellingwood, Mrs. George E. Evans, Miss Minnie Gray, Miss Nellie Gray, Mrs George E. Leonard, Mrs. Albert Nichols, Mrs. Franklin Nourse, Mrs. E. J. Noyes, Mrs. Haven C. Perham, Mrs. F. C. Plunkett, Mrs. A. G. Pollard, Mrs. O. B. Ranlett, Mrs. Harry R. Rice, Mrs. George L. Richardson, Mrs. Frank A. Smith, Mrs. George E. Stanley, Mrs. H. M. Thompson, Mrs. Daniel H. Varnum, Mrs. C. E. Walker, Mrs. A. G Walsh, Mrs. C. R. Wood, Mrs. George H. Wood.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

Mrs. Henry C. Barnes and Mrs. Landon Adams, matrons, assisted by Miss May Adams, Miss Leslie Adams, Miss Annie Baker, Miss Ada Chalifoux, Mrs. Edward J. Clark, Mrs. Henry Conant, Miss Christine Cushing, Mrs. Luther Faulkner, Miss Anna Fels, Miss F. Ethel Gray, Miss Louise Reynolds, Mrs. Arthur Spalding, Miss May Wilder.

CANDY TABLE.

Mrs. Boyden H. Pillsbury, chairman, assisted by the following committee:—Miss Jessie Ames, Miss Ruth Burke, Mrs. Frederick Chase, Miss Harriet Coburn, Mrs. William S. Greene, Miss Harriet Greenhalge, Mrs. Alexander Hobbs, Miss Bertha Howe, Mrs. William S. Lamson, Jr., Mrs. Robert Marden, Mrs. William Mansur, Miss Edith Nourse, Miss Edith Pollard, Miss Fanny Plunkett, Mrs. Brooks Stevens, Mrs. George Spalding, Mrs. Pascal Sprague, Mrs. Joseph F. Talbot, Mrs. William T. White, Mrs. Frederick Walsh.

GRAB TABLE.

Miss Helen Coburn, chairman, assisted by the following committee: Miss Leslie Adams, Miss May D. Adams, Miss Alice Duckworth, Miss Louie Ellingwood, Miss Helen Noyes, Miss Grace Pearson, Miss Susannah Simpson, Miss Julia Stevens, Miss May Wilder.

WHIST COMMITTEE.

Mrs. William P. Barry, Miss Mary Russell, Mrs. Edward F. Coburn, Mrs. H. D. Kendall, Mrs. Addison Putnam, Mrs. H. Potter, Mrs. Guy Holbrook, Mrs. E. S. Hosmer, Miss Cleworth.

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WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET, 10, 10 a. m.—Opening prices of stocks were inclined to follow the downward tendency of the London market, although the depression in London was due to fears of gold exports to New York. Changes were small in all cases and U. S. Steel and Amalgamated Copper hardened a shade.

11 a.m.—Liquidation of the minors specialties in the absence of any sustaining demand forced prices gradually downward but there was no pressure of consequence against the active stock. The general market did not get far away from yesterday's closing prices and speculation became exceedingly dull as soon as the offerings ceased. International Power declined 1¼, Republic Steel pfd. 2, Pressed Steel Car pfd. 1¼, Kansas & Texas pfd. 1, and U. S. Steel pfd. ¾. Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste Marie dropped 4 points.

Noon.—Prices hardened slightly, but the trading was very apathetic. Republic Steel rallied a point, Illinois Central declined 1¼ and Twin City Rapid Transit a point.

Bonds were irregular.

1 p.m.—Moderate purchases of the local traction stocks aroused some slight speculative interest at other points at the improvement in the standard stocks was small. Western stocks recovered to yesterday's final prices and then became neglected. Metropolitan Street Railway, Manhattan and Smelting gained 1 @ 1¼, while National Lead fell off about as much.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—Cotton: Futures opened steady at the decline. Oct. 10.06@10.09; Nov. 10.10; Dec. 10.25; Jan. 10.12; Feb. 10.13; March 10.16; April 10.18; May 10.19; July 10.20.

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By virtue of a certain execution issued from the Police Court of Lowell, in the suit of John R. Nevins, against Peter Mollahan, I have this day seized and taken and shall sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, on Saturday, the 31st day of October, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises on the easterly side of Gorham street, and lying between the railroad tracks of the Boston & Maine railroad and a spur track of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, in said Lowell, Mass., certain personal property that was attached on the original writ, to wit: A lot of second hand brick, a lot of granite or stone, a lot of second hand timber.

ALBERT S. HOWARD,
Attorney,
EZRA E. MANSUR,
Constable of Lowell.

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"Yes, how do you like it?"

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SWAN BUILDING

NEARING END

"Sam" Parks May Know His Fate Tonight

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—In all probability, Samuel B. Parks, the walking delegate who is on trial before Judge Newburger, charged with the extortion of $500 from the Tiffany studios corporation, will know tonight whether another conviction shall be recorded against him. The accused entered the court room today looking fresher than on any day since this trial began last Monday. His ordeal on the stand yesterday evidently had the effect of making him more composed as he showed none of the nervousness and uneasiness which he exhibited yesterday in a marked degree.

After Judge Newburger had disposed of some minor cases, the Parks case was resumed and Mr. Osborne arose and said:

"The defense rests."

This caused a good deal of surprise. Parks was called to the stand by Assistant District Attorney Rand, who asked the accused if on yesterday he had said "I refused to take a check from Schmitt because our treasurer had some difficulty in cashing the Heela checks," meaning another transaction which occurred some time previous to the Tiffany incident.

Parks thought for a few seconds, before he answered this question, but finally said: "No, I did not say that. I said we had some trouble in getting cash for the Heela check."

Mr. Osborne then tried to get Parks to say that he had given the $500 which he received from Schmitt of the Tiffany company, to Treasurer Johnson of the housesmiths and bridgemen's union, No. 2, but the court balked him. He succeeded, however, in getting Parks to let the jurymen hear that the accused had not taken a cent of the money for himself and had not demanded it for his own benefit. As soon as Parks had got in this remark, he was excused as a witness and walked back to his seat beside his counsel.

David Frazee, factory superintendent of the Tiffany studios, was then recalled for redirect examination by the prosecution. The witness testified that all through the conversation held between Parks and himself and between Parks and Schmitt, when the witness was present, Parks used the pronoun "I" and not "We" when talking of the "fine" being imposed and in violation to whom the money was to be paid.

Louis Schmitt, who testified to having paid the $500 to Parks, was then recalled, but he was not so positive that Parks had not used the pronoun "We" in his conversation leading up to the payment of the fine. As soon as Schmitt left the stand, Mr. Rand announced that the people rested.

Before beginning his address to the jury, Mr. Osborne made several formal motions for the acquittal of the prisoner, one of which was that the facts brought out in the case did not constitute a crime but all of the motions were denied and the defense was granted an exception in every case.

In beginning his address, Mr. Osborn said: "I approach this case in a festive spirit. I really treat the case against Samuel Parks as a jest. If Samuel Parks was X or Z or any other than Samuel Parks, there would not be any attention paid to this case. Everything is directed at Samuel Parks and I will show you that he is not guilty of the charge of extortion on which he is being tried here."

GRACE SKELTON

Released After Charges Were Heard

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30—Dr. Grace E. Skelton, the young woman physican of this city, who was arested upon complaint of L. N. King, a former Harvard tutor, that she had mailed him improper postal cards and letters, was discharged by U. S. Commissioner Fiske today.

The action was taken upon the recommendation of U. S. District Attorney John H. Casey.

When Dr. Skelton was arrested, she informed the district attorney that King had persecuted her and that she had written to him because he had not treated her fairly. The woman's story was such that Mr. Casey decided to hear King's side of the case before proceeding to prosecution. At an informal hearing, before Mr. Casey today, both King and Dr. Skelton were examined. The party then adjourned to the court room. Mr. Casey told the commissioner that he had gone over the testimony and that the defendant had promised not to offend again. The district attorney was of the opinion, from his knowledge of the case, that it was in the interest of public morals and decency that the case should proceed no further. He therefore moved that the case be dismissed, which was done.

BAIL FORFEITED

"TIM" McCARTHY FAILED TO APPEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—"Tim" McCarthy, who, together with Sam Parks, is under two indictments for extortion, failed to appear before Judge Foster today and his bail of $2,000, furnished by John J. Byrne, Devery's nephew, was declared forfeited. A warrant for his arrest was issued.

DUCHESS OF ROXBURGHE

WILL SAIL FOR AMERICA ON SATURDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30—The duchess of Roxburghe, the mother of the duke of Roxburghe, and her daughter, Lady Isabel Innes-Ker, sail for New York from Liverpool tomorrow on the Cunard line steamer Campania to attend the wedding of the duke and Miss May Goelet. Extraordinary interest is taken in the event on the East Lothian and Roxburgheshire estates. Preparations are on foot for great festivities to mak the arrival of the bride and bridegroom at Floors castle, the duke's seat, at Roxburgheshire in December.

The Campania will also take Clifford Sifton, the agent for Great Britain and other Canadians of the Alaska boundary commission.

SCHOONER BURNED

CAPTAIN AND MATE HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARRSBORO, N. S., Oct. 30.—Capt. Knowlton and the mate of the schooner Wellman Hall had a narrow escape here today when the schooner was burned to the water's edge, both men being on board when the fire started. The Hall was of 16 tons and was loaded with lumber. She was owned by Capt. Knowlton of this place.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 30.—Hostal H. Brant, 70 years of age, and an inmate of the state almshouse in this city, committed suicide late last night by jumping from a window, while his mind was temporarily deranged.

FOR CONSPIRACY

Capt. Lotkijevitch is Under Arrest

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELGRADE, Servia, Oct. 30.—Capt. Lotkijevitch, the former aide-de-camp of the late King Alexander, who was arrested September 29 last and later sentenced to a month's imprisonment for having engaged in a conspiracy against the murderers of King Alexander and Queen Draga, has been rearrested. He was captured in the laundry room of the fort here.

The arrest of General Magdelenics, formerly a supporter of the late king Milan of Servia and now on the retired list and other officers is imminent.

The general did not participate in the counter-plot but he has openly condemned the regicides.

It is understood that a new plot has been discovered against the murderers of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

COTTON CROP

MAY NOT EQUAL THAT OF LAST YEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—This year's cotton crop is estimated to be no larger than, if it equals, that of last year, which was 10,720,000 bales, according to a special report to be issued tomorrow by Bradstreets.

Although the general concensus of opinion is that the crop will be smaller than a year ago, it is pointed out that the higher price ruling, the advance on last year being 1 to 1½ cents, make the crop potently as valuable in a money way as a year ago.

VALUABLES LOST

STEAMERS COLLIDED IN A DENSE FOG.

By Associated Press to The Sun

YOKOHAMA, Japan, Oct. 30.—It was ascertained today that 45 persons of 103 who were on board the steamer Tokai Maru were drowned as the result of the sinking of that vessel yesterday after having been in collision with the Russian steamer Progress off Hakodate, Japan. The engineer of the Tokai Maru succumbed after having been picked up by the Progress. The mails and all the valuables of the sunken vessel were lost. The accident occurred at 4 a. m., six miles from Hakodate. The Tokai Maru which was a vessel of 1100 tons, was approaching Hakodate when she collided in a dense fog with the Progress, of 870 tons, bound from Hakodate for Vladivostock. The Tokai Maru sank immediately. After rescuing all the persons possible, the Progress returned to Hakodate. She was severely damaged. The Russian consul is drawing up a statement of the case for the court of inquiry.

The Yusen Kaisha company's steamer Jinsen Maru has gone to the scene of the disaster with divers to search for the bodies of the persons who were drowned.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

GRAVE CHARGES

Made Against the State Almshouse Administration

Pranks of the Medical Students Actually Barbarous — Women Farmed Out and Paid for at $3 a Week by the State

It may not be that human hides are being tanned in the state hospital at Tewksbury as was alleged in Benjamin F. Butler's order for an investigation of that institution several years ago, but according to a sentiment that extends far beyond the confines of the town of Tewksbury, the institution today would profit by a thorough investigation and a moral cleansing.

The poisoning, accidental or otherwise, of eleven men at the state hospital did not surprise those who claim to be familiar with the workings of the institution.

Speaking of the poisoning episode, a Tewksbury man said today: "If all we hear of the general run of affairs at the hospital is true the poisoning of eleven men is but another rung in the ladder of peculiar events peculiar to the place.

"It matters not what the hospital doctors say or what Dr. Irish of Lowell says relative to the death of Fitzgerald, the public will think, and are justified in thinking, that his death was hastened by the administration of a poisonous drug. It calls for an investigation; not one of those whitewash rubbers made by persons interested in and attached to the institution but by a committee appointed by the governor of the state. I don't know but that such a procedure would be a little out of the ordinary but it should be investigated, from top to bottom."

Apropos to the sentiment expressed by the Tewksbury man the reporter learned that the relatives of the victim who was poisoned and died have already asked for an investigation by some other committee than the one appointed at Bridgewater, yesterday.

Incorporated into their petition, which is said to have been sent to the governor, is the statement that the hospital authorities, by their own say so, knew that Fitzgerald was dying and that they refused to call in a priest although he asked several times that the chaplain be sent for. When the priest did arrive Fitzgerald was dead. Fitzgerald's relatives, it is stated, have communicated with the priest whose duty it is to give to the dying Catholics at the hospital the last rites and comforts of their church.

When the chaplain, Rev. Fr. Sirois, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate, arrived at the hospital and found that Fitzgerald was dead, he upbraided the doctor in charge.

"Why was it," he asked, "that I was not called in sooner?"

"I came myself but a few minutes ago," replied the doctor.

"That is no excuse," continued the priest," there were attendants here all the time and they knew the man was dying. You don't appreciate how great an injustice it was to him not to have summoned me earlier."

SHAMEFUL STORIES.

Stories that go to blacken the character of the institution are as thick as hops. It is a fact that the institution is never without young men with medical aspirations and the statement has been made that they have the wildest of wild college youth discounted when it comes to raising ructions.

If the stories told are true, the institution is not without scenes of drunken hilarity and that Seeley dinner scenes are not strangers within the walls within which are confined the insane, the immoral and the vicious. One story told is to the effect that two young men, the sponsor for the story called them medical students, made tours of several wards in the institution in their starked nakedness and in plain view of the nurses and other attendants.

A Sun reporter asked Dr. Nichols if that was true and he replied that it was not.

"Are all of the irregularities of the institution reported to you?" asked the reporter

"Yes, I suppose they are, that is all of any consequence."

"Two naked men making a tour of the wards would be serious enough to report, wouldn't it?"

"Of course it would, but I know it never happened."

KICKED A PATIENT.

Another story has it that an ugly attendant kicked a cringing patient and so wounded him that his life was made a burden to him and that in the course of a few months death released him from his earthly sufferings.

The reporter asked Dr. Nichols if there was any truth in that story and the Dr. answered "No," very emphatically. These are but mild samples of the stories that are afloat concerning the institution, and if they are true there is a lack of discipline and an immoral abandon foul enough to blacken a whole page in the state's history.

Dr. Nichols appears to be a sincere man, and it was the opinion of his interrogator that he spoke the truth when he said he had not heard of any such actions as heretofore mentioned, but it is needless to state that if the frisky students were on a spree, drunk and disorderly, they would cling to sense enough to keep away from the superintendent.

DR. NICHOLS RETICIENT.

Dr. Nichols was very reticent when spoken to by The Sun representative this forenoon. He said that he had told The Associated Press reporter all he had to say about the poisoning. "I have nothing new to tell," he added.

"It happens," said The Sun reporter, "that I am also representing The Associated Press."

"I have nothing new to tell," said the doctor a little impatiently. The investigating committee has taken the matter out of my hands and you will have to get your news from the committee."

"'Tis a fact that you were misquoted in the morning papers, relative to what you said about Fitzgerald and the poison."

"Just what do you mean?"

"The paper quotes you as saying that Fitzgerald did not take any of the poison. Did you say that?"

"No, I didn't say that and I want to have it corrected."

"Then Fitzgerald did take some of the poison?"

"Yes he did, but it did not cause his death."

"Do you think it hastened it?"

"I don't think so."

"In what ward was Fitzgerald and the rest of the men who were poisoned?"

"Now you see," adroitly remarked the doctor, "that takes us back to the details of the case and I have already said that the committee would have to do the talking."

"Was he in the insane ward?"

"No he was not?"

"Were the same attendants in the ward as on other nights?"

"Yes."

"Can you give me the name of the head attendant in the ward that night?"

"There you go again. That is detail and will have to see the committee."

"Has the committee begun its investigation?"

"No, but I believe it will start in this afternoon."

"Is it a fact that you have no theory whatever as to the poisoning?"

"Absolutely none. There is no one in the institution that I would suspect of such a thing."

OTHER SERIOUS CHARGES.

Apart from the poisoning and other irregularities reported at the institution, there exists a something that the good people of Tewksbury have a deal to say about.

It seems that several insane patients, not violent, are boarding with and incidentally working for some of the top notch families. The townspeople do not object to their neighbors entertaining daffy boarders, but they do object to the boarders working from morning till night while these who harbor them receive $3 a week from the state for each and every one of the inmates that they house and board.

"In some instances," said a farmer whom the Sun reporter interrupted while at work in the field, "the boarders do all the housework and help do the outside work. Pretty good scheme to get all your work done and get $3 a week for boarding the woman who does it."

PLEASANT BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A pleasant birthday party was held yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kerwin, 66 Hudson street, in honor of their daughter, Gertrude, who celebrated her 14th birthday. Supper was served by Misses Donohoe and Wilmore. During the evening an entertaining program was carried out, including a solo by Loretta Donohoe and songs and dances by Lena Sheehan and Mary Kerwin, also a dance by Emma Wilmore and a song by Lawrence Cummings.

Ice cream and cake were served to the young people present, and the little hostess was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents. Games were enjoyed and the party broke up at a seasonable hour.

LOWELL SHRINERS

THE GUESTS OF THEIR NORTHERN BRETHREN LAST NIGHT.

The Shriners of Vermont and New Hampshire held a meeting and banquet at the Junction house, White River junction, last evening, and among the guests were Dr. Waller and Fred M. Beede of this city.

WAS IN LOWELL

Krikorian Came Here to Collect Funds

The Sagouni assassination in London is daily assuming more local interest. In the first place the fact that the assassin purchased a hat in this city was enough to make the affair interesting from a local standpoint, but the arrest of Vahlen Krikorian as being implicated in the assassination makes the affair even more interesting from a local standpoint, as there is little doubt that the man who was arrested in Boston yesterday has been in this city and is well known here. From the present state of affairs it looks as though the whole plot was conceived and carried out by Armenians who either resided here or were well acquainted in this part of the state.

A representative of The Sun in an interview with Olence Krikorian, a barber at 200 Middlesex street, found that the man who was arrested in Boston yesterday is without doubt a man who has been around Lowell considerably. Mr. Krikorian in conversation with the reporter said:

"I am quite confident that I know the man who was arrested in Boston yesterday and he preached at the Young Men's Christian association about a year ago, this time or probably a little over a year. I saw him, but did not bother going to the lecture because my views did not coincide with his.

"He was trying to raise funds for the freeing of the Armenians and from what I understand he was of a very jealous and spiteful nature. There are three of our societies in Armenia which have branches in this country. They are like the democratic, republican and other political parties in this country, but at home they are known as societies. Sagouni, who was also collecting funds in this country, belonged to one of these parties while Krikorian belonged to another and Sagouni had met with a good deal of success in raising funds while Krikorian did not. I am pretty sure that the society to which Krikorian belonged found that the opposition society was getting all the money and they decided to put a stop to it."

The Sun representative visited a well-known Armenian who resides in Corbett place, off Winter street, and that man in answer to questions asked by the reporter said that he believed that the Krikorian arrested in Boston had his headquarters in Lawrence and that he came to Lowell on several occasions for the purpose of collecting funds.

An Armenian answering the description of the man arrested in Boston called at The Sun office a little over a year ago with an announcement of a meeting to be held in this city, the proceeds of which were to go towards freeing the Armenians. His name was Krikorian and he spoke in a very laudible manner of what good the society he represented was doing for the Armenians and spoke in a very emphatic manner against the other societies that were raising funds for the purpose of aiding the Armenians.

WRONG BOTTLE

Howard Got Mouthful of Poison

Martin Howard, residing in Carpet lane and employed in the carpet mills, met with a painful accident at an early hour this morning.

Mr. Howard had a bottle of tonic in his room and a bottle containing potash rested near it. When he went to take a drink of the tonic in the dark this morning he took the wrong bottle. Fortunately he discovered his mistake before he had swallowed any of the stuff and spat it out, but his tongue swelled up to twice its natural size.

A BRUSH FIRE

THE BLAZE WAS STARTED BY BOYS.

An alarm from box 238 shortly before two o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the local fire department to a lively brush fire on the land alongside the Boston & Maine railroad at the foot of Bowden street. The fire was undoubtedly started by boys, but was discovered in time and when the department arrived the fire was speedily put under control.

ROBBED HIS FATHER

YOUNG GREEK ARRESTED BY OFFICER MAGUIRE.

Hennis Bonites, a young Greek, aged 18 years, was arrested this afternoon by Officer Maguire on the complaint of the boy's father, who alleges that while he was at work in the Boott mill the boy took $20 from his trunk.

SNOWING SOME

FIFTEEN INCHES IN STOWE, VT., THIS WEEK.

Fred M. Beede of this city, who has just returned from a northern trip, reports that there were 15 inches of snow and fine sledging in Stowe, Vt., when he was there a few days ago.

John G. Jackson, for many years in charge of the linen department for A. G. Pollard & Co., and later with Shepard & Norwell of Boston, has accepted the position of head of the linen department for the O'Donnell & Gilbride company, this city, where he will be pleased to meet his old patrons and friends.

STRANGE STORY

Told by Insane Asylum Inmate

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 30—Governor Garvin was approached late yesterday afternoon by a middle aged man giving the name of Albert Howard Slock, of Dorchester, Mass., who claimed to have escaped from an insane asylum in Medford, and who said he was trying to get to Canada.

The man asked the governor for his protection and also that an examination be made into his case. He then disappeared. According to Slock's story he had been confined for 30 years in the insane hospital and that he had been placed there by some enemy of his.

STEWART ARRESTED

SENATE PRESIDENT IS CHARGED WITH FRAUD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORT AUPRINCE, Hayti, Oct. 30.—M. Stewart, president of the senate, who is charged with having participated in the division of the issue of $200,000 fraudulent Haytien securities, early in the year, has been arrested. Senators Cauvin and Malebranche, against whom the same charge is made, have fled from Port au Prince.

MORGAN IN CHICAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30. J. Pierpont Morgan arrived in Chicago today and was met at the depot by R. R. Govin, one of the receivers of the Union Traction company, and Alfred Skitt, whom report has connected with the leadership of the new company that is planned to take over all traction properties of the city.

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50c worth of stamps on 1 pkg. Presto, 10c.
Best Smoked Shoulders..... 8c lb
Best Standard Tomatoes.....3 cans 25c.
Challenge Milk.....3 cans 25c.
Best canned Peas.....3 cans 25c.
Best canned Pears..... 10c a can.
Best Corned Beef.....3 to 6 a lb
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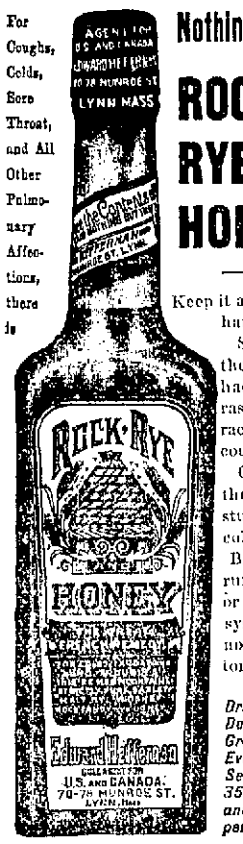

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KRIKORIAN HELD

Charged With Being Fugitive From Justice

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30—Anticipating the arraignment of Vahien Krikorian, the Armenian arrested yesterday upon his arrival from England on suspicion of having been implicated in the murder last Tuesday of Sagatel Sagouni, the Armenian revolutionary leader, at London, a number of Armenians assembled at the Federal building to attend the proceedings. The arraignment, however, was delayed owing to the occupation of U. S. Commissioner Fisk with other cases.

Krikorian spent the night at the Charles street jail, to which he was taken shortly after his arrest by the United States deputy marshal.

Peter Kureghian, editor of Young Armenia, and Peter Kazaromas of Boston, today volunteered information to the Boston police that they know the Armenian arrested in the steamer Ivernia, last night. Kureghian is the man who was murderously attacked in this city last July. These men, the police say, stated that Krikorian is the head of a London central committee of Armenians, and Kureghian claimed also, according to the police, that he ordered the murder of Kureghian and attempted personally to assassinate him when the latter was in London, where he edited a paper.

The exact charge upon which Krikorian was arrested yesterday and held until today was that he is a fugitive from justice in England. Although no specific charge declaring him to be connected with the Sagouni murder was lodged against him, United States officials hold him on suspicion of implication in the London assassination.

C. A. P. Talbot, the British consul at Boston, stated today that he had telegraphed to the British embassy at Washington for instructions in the case and when these instructions are received it is probable that Consul Talbot will ask the United States commissioner to hold Kirkorian upon some complaint more immediately revelant to the killing of Sagouni.

Shortly before 2 o'clock Krikorian was arraigned before Commissioner Fisk on the charge of political murder and also on the charge that he is a fugitive from justice from England. When the warrant was read the defendant, who speaks almost perfect English, declared that he was guilty of no murder. He was then asked by the commissioner to say whether he was guilty or not guilty. Thereupon Krikorian p'eaded not guilty. Commissioner Fiske then ordered the man committed to the Charles street jail until Monday, when an examination will be made.

According to the rule in such cases no bail was allowed.

Editor Kureghian and Peter Kazaromas were ready to testify in the case, but they were informed they would not be needed until Monday. A little later Krikorian was returned to jail. Under the terms of the treaty between England and the United States the authorities of this country do not prosecute in such cases unless such prosecution is asked for by the English authorities. It is expected that the British consul will be ready to proceed on Monday.

KIRKORIAN A PREACHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30—At the headquarters of the Armenians at Peckham, a suburb of this city, it is believed that Vahlan Krikorian, (who was arrested at Boston yesterday on the arrival there of the Cunard line steamer Ivernia, upon advices received from Scotland Yard, charging him with having been implicated in the conspiracy which resulted in the assassination Monday night of Sagatel Sagouni, president of the American Revolutionary society, is probably identical with the Armenian of that name who, with two others, named Shahriman and Arsonian, seceded three months ago and set up a rival society, at Clapham, a suburb of London, where the Alfarists assembled. These three men are said to have disappeared in August and it was thought they had gone to Cyprus. Krikorian, who was formerly an American Protestant preacher, is reported to have been hostile to Sagouni since the split in the socety in 1902.

Other members of the Hintchakist society identify the man arrested at Boston as Verham Krikorian. They say he is a welll known member of the Alfarist, or Physical Force faction.

COTTON MARKET

Showed Great Excitement and Anxiety

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—Great activity and excitement developed in the cotton market this morning. Prices opened a little under the finals of last night owing to lower Liverpool cables than expected and realizing, but before the decline had extended more than a few points further the market was rallied very sharply by the recipt of the weather forecast for the western belt, which predicted snows for tonight and tomorrow in the territories, with cold weather over the entire western belt. Before the end of the first hour prices were 10 to 18 points net higher on active covering and aggressive bull support.

CHAIRMAN MACRAE

RAILROAD MAN DISCUSSED ALASKAN AWARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Chairman MacRae, at a meeting today of the stockholders of the White Pass & Yukon railroad, alluded to the Alaska boundary award. He said that while he regretted the decision which placed 20 miles of their railroad under the jurisdiction of the American flag it was in reality more a matter of sentiment than business. The reciprocal bonding arrangements between Canada and the United States would continue. Both countries would suffer equally and enormously by disturbance of the arrangement and it was more in harmony with the enlightened spirit of civilization to extend than to curtail them.

Mr. MacRae further declared that the suggestions for all Canadian or all American roads to the Yukon would be impossible of realization for a long time to come.

TRUCE DECLARED

MILK DEALERS WILL ADVANCE THE PRICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

UXBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 30—The milk dealers of Uxbridge have declared a truce in the internal war which has been waged for the past four or five years and the price of milk will be advanced from five cents to six cents on November 1.

Last winter a compromise was reached and a similar advance was made, but the schedule was broken in the early spring and the price dropped. It is also claimed that six cents will be the minimum price in the future as the differences among the dealers have now been adjusted.

THE STEEL TRUST

WILL NOT MAKE CUT IN PRICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The following statement was made today by an official of the United States Steel corporation, outlining the company's policy as to prices for products and wages of employes:

"There will be no cut in prices. Rates will be maintained. As for the matter of wages, that has not been considered save in an informal way. At any rate, no changes of this kind are likely before the new year. The matters now under discussion by the heads of the subsidiary companies are almost all together of a routine character, though considerable thought is being given to economy of operations."

COTTON IS HIGH

The South Expects a Good Trade

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—Special telegrams from correspondents of the International Mercantile Agency throughout the United States and Canada, regarding the state of trade, are summarized as follows:

The between-seasons period is beginning to show its influence on the movement of general merchandise. Relatively the most favorable reports come from Chicago, Pittsburg and New York. Baltimore reports the outlook from the south for a good trade owing to the high price for cotton. There has been a gain at Pittsburg, where more mills are expected to start up. Country orders are a fair average for the season at Chicago, but there is less disposition to branch out and a hesitancy in some lines. Dry goods and clothing are moving slowly at St. Louis. At Boston the disposition is towards conservatism. At Philadelphia the volume of trade is about equal to that of last year, but affected by labor conditions is beginning to slacken. St. Paul and Minneapolis advise that interior merchants are restricting purchases somewhat. The Minneapolis flour output is becoming normal again.

Traffic on eastern railroads has declined this week, car shortage has been noticeable, interior jobbers generally are buying less than last year and cotton exports are increasing encouragingly, but mercantile collections have fallen away in regions tributary to Philadelphia and St. Paul. Shipments of funds west on crop and bank accounts have made loans at New York firmer and tend to hold down security prices.

Good weather has prevailed throughout the grain regions, but winter wheat, which is all sown, could stand some rain.

The outlook is for a good demand for wheat for export. Estimates of the cotton crop tend higher than recently

A feature in industrial lines is the sale of ten thousand tons of southern pig iron from export to Manchester at $10 or less a ton at the furnace and a Pittsburg sale of steel rails for delivery in Corea. Many large industrial concerns report an average decline in orders of 25 per cent. from this time last year; new orders come in hesitatingly. Some 56,000 employes have been laid off or have struck this week. Closed iron mines in northern Michigan have reacted upon jobbers in the northwest.

GENERAL STRIKE

ANARCHISTS ARE TRYING TO FOMENT ONE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BARCELONA, Spain, Oct. 30—The anarchists here are endeavoring to foment a general strike, in sympathy with the strike at Bilbao. The captain general has hurriedly left Barcelona for Madrid. Already large numbers of people are out of work in consequence of the shutting down to many local factories.

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DUG UP A BODY

Police Found One in Pine Box

THE AFFAIR IS SHROUDED IN MYETERY

Body Is in Mummified Condition

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Seven feet below the surface in a gravel pit, Fifty-sixth street and South Park avenue, the body of a man wrapped in carpet and placed inside a pine box has been unearthed by the police.

The condition of the body indicates that it was at one time in the hands of medical men, but the police see a mystery in the case.

When found the body was stretched in the box with hands folded across the chest. It was in a mummified condition and evidently had been exposed a long time after death. In the bottom of the box a rusty sword with the point broken off was found.

CHICKAMAUGA PARK

GENERAL BOYNTON PRESENTS ENCOURAGING REPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—In his report of the Chickamauga Park commission, General Boynton says that since the park has been designated as national manoeuvre ground, 390 additional acres of ground have been acquired, a part of which has been chosen a permanent cavalry post. The arrangement of the post has not interfered with the marking of the additional tract.

The general also says: "It is also a matter of satisfaction to the commission that for another year the practical use of the park by the government has continued by maintaining the field camp of the Seventh cavalry within its limits. In view of the wild reports of the unhealthfulness of the park, which gained currency during the war with Spain, it is proper to say that the health of the soldiers camped there and of the park force and its laborers has continued exceptionally good. The water throughout the park has proved excellent and an abundant supply has been secured for the encampments and the new post from flowing wells."

WAS NOT POISONED

AUTOPSY ON THE BODY OF MILLIONAIRE SEXTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—In order to dispell doubts that had arisen regarding the true nature of the illness which caused the death of P. J. Sexton, millionaire contractor, on Wednesday, an autopsy has been held at the residence in Michigan avenue.

Vague rumors had been floating about during the time subsequent to Mr. Sexton's death to the effect that arsenical poisoning was indicated in the patient's symptoms and in the appearance of the body after death.

Neithe the widow or the sons, two of whom surivive, placed any credence in the rumors, but to set them at rest they arranged for a post-mortem examination.

Its result was to make clear the cause of death as deterioration of the spinal cord, attended by neurasthenia and anaemia.

The quickness with which the collapse came finally is thought to have given rise to the baseless poison rumors.

HISTORIAN MOMMSEN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—Prof. Mommsen, the historian who was born in 1817, has suffered a severe apopletic stroke. He is unconscious, his left side is paralyzed, and there is little hope for his recovery.

ROOT SAILS TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Secretary Root and Mrs. Root left London this morning for Liverpool to board the White Star line steamer Celtic, which sails for New York today. They were bid farewell at the railroad station by Ambassador Choate and other friends.

WILL CARRY $2,000,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—The transport Sheridan sailing tomorrow for Honolulu, Guam and Manila, will carry $2,000,000 in silver and gold in her treasure room. She has a full list of passengers in addition to the enlisted men of the 22d infantry.

LYING IN STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—Tribute to the memory of Mrs. Emma Booth-Tucker, the Salvation Army leader, was paid by thousands of her friends in Chicago today. At 11 o'clock the body was taken to Princess Rink, on West Madison street, and will lie in state until tonight when memorial service will be held.

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GRAND LARCENY

Is Charged Against a Promoter

A WEALTHY BROKER IS THE COMPLAINANT

Says He Was Fleeced Out of $40

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—John B. Conger, a promoter, who, until three months ago, occupied an office uptown, where he was known as president and general manager of the National Carbonate Engine company, has been arrested on a charge of grand larceny. William H. Reynolds, a wealthy broker, asserts that Conger obtained from him $40 by false pretence and it is alleged by others that the promoter had induced Cornelius Vanderbilt and others to invest in the concern of which he was the head to the extent of $40,000. Mr. Reynolds swore out the warrant on which Conger was arrested after he and a lawyer had laid the case before District Attorney Jerome for investigation.

Conger is said by the complainants to have come from Buffalo about a year and a half ago. He had, so he declared, a patent on a carbon engine especially adapted to use on railroads, which he maintained would save 75 per cent. of the present cost of fuel. About three months ago, Reynolds alleges, Conger procured from him a loan of $40 by telling the following story:

"My aunt, Mrs. Upham, is expected home in a few days. She and I are joint trustees of the estate of her husband, who was president of the First National bank of St. Paul, Minn. A box of securities has been shipped from St. Paul by express to a trust company of this city and there is $40 express charges due. I am temporarily short of funds, but will return the loan in a few days. I am to receive $900 worth of the securities in the box, but it cannot be opened except in the presence of my aunt and myself."

Reynolds says he loaned the money and upon investigation later found there was no such box of securities as Conger described and that the express company had not forwarded the box to Conger.

SANTRY PUT OUT

THE END CAME IN THE THIRTEENTH ROUND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANACONDA, Mont., Oct. 30—Aurelio Herrera, the lightweight Mexican pugilist, last night knocked out Eddy Santry of Chicago in the 13th round of what was to have been a 20-round fight. Santry had all the best of the fight up to the last round, breaking through the Mexican's peculiar guard as no other fighter has yet been able to do. Santry forced the fighting throughout and was plainly Herrera's superior in science but failed to deliver a knockout and while he mixed it fiercely in the 13th round, received a terrific short-arm jolt behind the ear and went down and out.

BECHTEL BROTHERS

DENY ALL KNOWLEDGE OF THE MURDER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Oct. 30.—Chas. and John Bechtel, who were taken into custody after the coroner's inquest into the death of Mabel Bechtel, their sister, were not informed of the suicide of their brother Thomas until today. They denied emphatically that the girl was killed in her own home on Sunday night and declared she was not at home that night. When informed that Tom Bechtel had committed suicide Charles said:

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of John Brooks, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Frederick Brooks, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the third day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this fifteenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A fur cape between Broadway and Salem streets. Finder please return to Mrs. Connor, 83 Salem street.

LOST—In September, pair of eyeglasses with case marked Charles T. Saul, between Hosford square and postoffice or Westford street car. Please leave at Sun office.

LOST—Black and tan hound, nine months old. Liberal reward at Farragut house. Charles H. Dent.

FOUND—A small sum of money in Pollard's store Monday, Oct. 19. Owner can have by calling at 506 Lawrence St.

LOST—A string of gold beads between Beacon and Merrimack streets or between Merrimack street and the Highlands. Finder receive reward at 31 Hildreth building.

FOUND—Beaded side bag on Market street. Owner may have by proving property and paying for adv. at Sun office.

LOST—Gray horse blanket somewhere between Davis square and Lakeview avenue; reward. 130 Adams street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

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BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.06, *11.43 a. m.; w12.06, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.30, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.06, w4.06, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w8.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, n3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland,) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.06 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.09, 1.00, *1.33, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.39 (to Franklin only.) 5.40, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.,) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.39, *b9.10 p m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

aVia Wakefield Junction.

*Express. bDaily

qWednesdays and Saturdays only.

wVia Western Division.

xVia Bedford, zVia Wilmington Junc.

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MEN—$12 a week at home; send addressed envelope, you can start work the moment you receive our reply; no canvassing; nothing to sell. United Product Co., Dept. 65, 209 Broadway, N. Y.

WANTED—A girl to do table work at 419 Suffolk street.

CIGAR SALESMEN WANTED; experience unnecessary; good pay. Emanuel Co., station "J," New York.

WANTED—Farm hand; extra good milker. Employment office, 25 Central street, room 19.

WANTED—At once, girl to do light housework. Call 46 Bartlett street.

A CANVASSING AGENT with small amount of money may secure the agency of a California product that can be sold to every family of Lowell and surrounding country; a fine seller for a house to house canvasser to handle with other goods; it is an article of daily consumption, and where once sold is a sure repeater; the product is not as yet introduced in Massachusetts, but hundreds of applications have been received from there. For particulars, prices and sample, address Manager, P. O. box 587, San Jose, California.

WANTED—A nursery girl at the Day nursery, First street.

WANTED—Old lady to do light housework and take care of baby. Call at 10 Reed street, evenings.

WANTED—Everywhere, hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

OUR MEN make $3 to $10 a day fitting glasses; our 24-page Free Eye Book tells all about it; we establish you in business for yourself. Jacksonian Optical College, (Chartered), 101 Main street, Jackson, Michigan.

WANTED—Young girl to assist at general housework in small family. Address D. C., Sun office.

WANTED—At once, table girls at Merrimack house.

WANTED—Experienced saleslades at The Reliable Cloak and Suit Store, 320 Merrimack street.

BARBER WANTED at T. J. Smith's, 284 Fayette street.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Slover & Dean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

DRESSMAKER WANTED; apply at once. J. A. Montplaisir, room 7, Old City hall building.

WANTED—Table girl at 98 John street.

GREATEST MONEY-MAKER KNOWN—1000 per cent. on investment; no speculation, no risk; straight business. Energetic promoter wanted to form state company. Electric Advertising Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

WANTED

WANTED—Two large gas radiators; new or second hand. Inquire S. G. C., 27 State street.

FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS—We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

BOARDERS WANTED at 307 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

TO LET

TO LET—Tenement of five rooms; rent reasonable. Apply 4 Everett street.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city at all prices; we have several that will make extra warm, sunny homes for the winter. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central street.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 603 Merrimack street.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 601 Merrimack street.

TO LET—Nice cottage house of 6 rooms; newly painted and papered; corner Exeter and Dalton streets, Centralville. Inquire at Union Printing Co., 67 Middle street, between 12 and 1 o'clock.

TO LET—New tenements of 5 to 7 rooms each; bath, pantry, etc.; if you want a new tenement and don't like to move now on account of your coal in cellar, I will move your furniture, piano and coal free of charge. S. Lagasse, 335 Hildreth street, Centralville.

TO LET—Just what you want; front room, furnished, steam heat, bath. 20 West 6th street.

TENEMENTS TO LET On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 414 Broadway.

TO LET Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—Furnished front room, use of bath, $1 a week. 855 Middlesex street, side door.

TO LET—At 1087 Middlesex street, tenement of seven rooms with all modern improvements, in new house. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—Cottage house, recently put in good order, in Batchelder place, off Walker street. Key next door.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $9, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $4.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $3, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 5 rooms, $8.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

Furnished Rooms

Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 201 Middlesex street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By experienced laundress, washing to do at home; terms reasonable. Address M. A., this office.

WANTED—Work in an office by High school girl graduate. Address Graduate, this office.

SITUATION by all round cook; can give reference. Address S. P., Sun office.

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper or doing general housework in family of two. Address L. D., Sun office.

WANTED—A situation at general housework by a Swede girl. Inquire 141 Wilder street.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column

FOR SALE

YOUR LIFE READING—Many typewritten pages concerning business, love, health, etc., free; send date, birth, sex. Address Astropathic Institute, Auditorium building, Chicago. Reason, your recommendation wanted.

FOR SALE—Large-sized Glenwood parlor stove; good condition. 115 Central St.

FOR SALE—Carrots for horses by the barrel. C. H. Cutler, 634 Mammoth road, Dracut. Tel. connection.

THE ELWOOD TEA & COFFEE CO., Davis square—We will give $5 worth of the Red, White and Blue Trading Stamps with one pound of our 50c and 60c Tea; $1 worth with one pound of our 35c Coffee. Cut this out and get your tea and coffee. Come early.

FOR SALE—Two Concords, 2 democrats, 2 Goddards, 1 doctor's phaeton, 1 Corning and two-horse truck and several others. P. A. Mackenzie, 529 Broadway. Tel. 691-2.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 120 Branch street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fast bay pacer, pneumatic tired wagon and Concord wagon. Inquire 222 Moody street.

LADIES, ATTENTION—Big bargains; dress goods, remnants, from the Merrimack Woolen Co. Corner store, Lakeview and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 370 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Bakery, centrally located; bargain if sold at once; stock and fixtures. Apply 117 Chapel street.

FOR SALE—St. Bernard dog; 3 years old; first class watch dog. Inquire 27 West Fourth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, lot of land in Dracut. Inquire 230 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Ouillet, 33 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50 linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

"THIS BEATS NEW JERSEY"—Charters procured under South Dakota laws for a few dollars; write for corporation laws, blanks, by-laws and forms to Philip Lawrence, late assistant secretary of state, Huron, Beadle Co., South Dakota.

HOW WOULD IT SUIT YOU to have your income increased? Thousands are applying the system to their profit and satisfaction; why not you? No matter what your occupation, if you have steady employment you can easily increase your earnings. Information free to all who will send name and address to A. B. C. D., Sun office.

LADIES—Our harmless remedy relieves without fail delayed or abnormally suppressed menstruation. For free trial address Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutler's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kreigee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 105 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 750 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

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LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

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IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 910 Central St.

MRS. FLETCHER, 789 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-13.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delarme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 160 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 418 Middlesex street.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—On Walnut street, 8-room house, good repair; terms easy. Inquire 9 Elm street.

THREE TONS OF COAL given away free to the first customer that buys this new 2-tenement house, 6 rooms on each floor, bath rooms, etc., in each tenement; one tenement already rented, the other is waiting for you; buy this fine house; right at the door of all the large manufacturing concerns; paved streets, cars pass, electric lights, etc.; $100 or more down secures this place, balance as rent; come today and bring $50 or more with you and secure the best thing on earth, a home; pay rent for 50 years and you will have no interest in a house; start a house of your own today; how many years have you been paying rent to a landlord? wouldn't it almost pay for a fine house? if you want to quit renting, if you want to own your own home, don't let this opportunity slip from your grasp. Call today. The S. Lagasse Co., Centralville. Residence, 335 Hildreth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, house lots near mills and electrics; instalment plan; easy terms. Inquire 465 Merrimack street, Lowell.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632**

A gain of 1123 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

It is reported that ex-Governor Crane is to succeed Mark Hanna as chairman of the national republican committee. While the ex-governor is a good general he will never succeed as a fat fryer, an art in which Hanna had no equal.

The new advertisements in the street cars and on bill boards would indicate that the republicans are badly scared. But for the advantage of being in office Bates would not have the ghost of a show in a contest with Col. Gaston.

THE TEWKSBURY MYSTERY.

The clouds are gathering over the Tewksbury almshouse. Let us hope the industry of tanning human hides has not been revived. The poisoning of eleven inmates seems shrouded in mystery. Somebody has either blundered or perpetrated a crime. A searching investigation should be made.

THE IMPORTANCE OF TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

The democrats of Lowell have been sufficiently informed of the reasons why they should support the party ticket and why if they did not feel it imperative to vote for their own party they should vote against the opposition party.

The issues of the campaign have been thoroughly discussed. The most important state issue is the extravagance of Governor Bates' administration which added $1,000,000 to the state tax in a single year. The mere increase is not so serious as the lack of business tact displayed by the governor and which may result in even a greater increase next year.

The next issue in point of importance is the flagrant manner in which the governor interfered with the rights of municipalities to manage their own affairs. The city of Boston, generally admitted to be the most cultured in this country, was not deemed intelligent enough to be allowed to enrol its own voters. The state police had to be called in to do the work and a pretty muddle they made of it. The fact that a member of this body of state police is held on a charge of murder while another is held on a charge of assault and attempted robbery is a damaging testimonial to that body.

There are various other issues upon which Governor Bates is severely arraigned; but they are of minor importance, although in the aggregate they prove conclusively that the governor is not a safe business man, that he lacks the tact and the judgment so essential to success in the administration of the affairs of a great office.

Another matter that should be considered before going to the polls next Tuesday is, that the election of Governor Bates would be taken as an endorsement by the Bay State of republican rule in the nation. Now, this is the very thing that should be withheld.

Do the people approve of the trusts, of the imperial policy, of the corruption in the postal department, of the land grafting in the interior department? If they do not they should defeat the republican ticket in this state.

The election of Colonel Gaston would have the same effect as a vote of censure by the state of Massachusetts on the national republican administration. That is just what is needed.

Therefore, if the people cannot change the national regime, they can show their disapproval of its acts in the various states by voting against the party it represents.

This would have a salutary effect in causing the republican party to go slow in the matter of sheltering combinations that usurp the government function of levying tribute upon the masses.

This is what the trusts do when they fix the prices of commodities and stamp out all competition.

The defeat of Governor Bates would be a rebuke to the national administration and a warning that unless the republicans change their policy a national defeat will follow later on.

The national interest in the Massachusetts election this year is shown by the fact that Secretary Shaw came here to save the day for Bates. The president feels alarmed when he sends a member of his cabinet here to take the stump for Bates.

Colonel Gaston has put up a gallant battle for democratic principles and policies and democrats and republicans alike will serve their own interests best by voting for him. His election would spread consternation in the republican ranks throughout the nation and would undoubtedly lead to a policy more favorable to the people. Thus every voter in Massachusetts can use his suffrage to a good end by voting the entire democratic ticket. The undisturbed control of one political party in state and nation is dangerous.

REFORMS DEMANDED BY FARMERS' CONGRESS.

The Farmers' Congress recently held at Niagara Falls adopted a platform well worthy of consideration by all political parties. It embodies some of the most important reforms as follows:

1. Favoring a constitutional amendment empowering congress to levy a graduated income tax.
2. Asking the federal congress to pass a constitutional amendment providing for the direct election of United States senators by popular vote.
3. Urging congress to establish a parcel post, a postal telegraph and postal savings banks.
4. Asking for further federal legislation for the control of corporations and the enforcement of laws already enacted.
5. Urging upon the railways the importance of giving better rates, disapproving of the certificate plan and asking for stopover privileges.
6. Thanking Secretary Wilson for his efforts in the interests of agriculture; especially for recommending the establishment of an office for the assistance of the state institutes and thanking congress for establishing his office a year ago.
7. Favoring the broadening of parcel transportation facilities.
8. Urging the importance of maintaining and extending the present free rural mail routes.
9. In support of the non-partisan movement for the extension of the referendum.

The first, second, fourth and fifth planks of this platform should be endorsed by the entire people of the United States. They have already formed a part of the platforms of the democratic party in more than one national contest.

The income tax law was annulled by the supreme court; the purchase of seats in the United States senate makes the popular election of senators imperative. It has been found also by bitter experience that the U. S. senate, together with the exercise of the presidential veto power are serious bars to the giving effect to the will of the people.

As to the proper control of corporations that is still a problem that puzzles both parties. The farmers by the adoption of this platform have shown themselves to be a lot of intelligent men. They might, however, have gone a little farther and demanded the removal of the tariff on hides, the raw material for the manufacture of boots and shoes. If the tariff was of any use to the farmers it might justly be retained in spite of its injurious effect upon the boot and shoe industry; but it is the Chicago packers, not the farmers who reap the benefit of the tariff on hides

THE SHAMROCK CLUB

PRESIDENT O'RAFFERTY ON THE LUCE JOINT CAUCUS LAW.

(Springfield Union.)

"What's this loose-j'int law I hears thim talkin' about?" inquired Grogan.

"Why, man dear, 'tis the corkis law," replied President O'Rafferty. "I thought iv'ry wan knew that."

"Thin why do they call it the loose-j'int law?" persisted Grogan.

"I dunno, onless it's because it tolghtens up some av the loose j'ints in the ould law. P'nnerty sez a man named Lu-ce wuz behind it, but Lucy is a gur-rl's name an' I don't believe it. Howsumever you an' me, Grogan, there's a big howl agin this new law. It intherferes wid the roights ov the citizens. Undher the ould law a man's a Dhummyerat or a Rapoobliean as the nation takes him, or if he doesn't want to be nyther he can be a Prohibitionist or a Socialist. He can be wan today, an' the other tomorrer, an' nyther the next day, or all four at the same tolme. If there's anything in it he can collect all 'round, an' nobody the wiser. 'Twuz a good law fer the man wid a few cards up his sleeve, fer it let him in on iv'ry deal. Ye cudn't stack the cards on him, an' it made no diffrunce how many tolmes ye changed the pack.

"Thin, there's the man who's too nice fer anny party, yeer only frind, the mugwump. He's a Rapoobliean until the nominynations are made, an' thin he's Dhummyerat. He wants to run both parties, an' a little party av his own besides, an' he's nivver happy onless he's in throubble wid wan or the other. Poor man, undher the new law he'll have to identify himself wid wan party if he wants to vote in the corkises, an' he'll have to shtay wid that party until he gets a legal transfer to another. There'll be no rain checks fer him good fer the next game, an' he can't renegg. 'Tis an outrage on individual liberty an' a blow at the freedom av the repeater.

"'Must free-born Amurrican citizens wear the yoke av some machine ruled party?' sez the mugwump. 'Must we be branded lolke so many cattle? Are we to be denoid the privilege av voting as many tolmes and as many tickets as we lolkes? Where is our boasted freedom, an' how are we to maintain the purity av the ballot if we have to vote for the min we nomynate? We rebel against sich tyrannyy,' sez they, 'an' we'll resist to the lasht unny attimpt to legalize corkises an' infringe upon the roights av the holter,' sez they. 'We're wid ye,' sez the thrimmers. 'What's to become av us if it's illagel to vote in the corkises of all parties? 'Twill be takin' the bread out av the mouths av our poor childher. Good min wid the shtuff to pay will shtand no chance av a nominynation. Rapoobliians will have to run their corkises widout the assistance av experienced Dhummyerats lolke us, an' the Dhummyerats will have to folght their battles undher the ludership av min that don't know how to turn a thrick. Down wid the loose-jint law,' sez they. 'Down wid the attimpt to throttle a vote fer the holghest bidder.' And the mugwump an' the honest grafter jines hands to protict their rolghts."

"Well, haven't a man the roight to vote as he plazes?" asked Grogan.

"He have that," replied O'Rafferty, "onless he votes in too many corkises. You have a roight to marry who ye plaze, but Lord help ye if ye thry to run another man's family."

BARGE PARTY

UNDER AUSPICES OF SIGMA SIGMA CLUB.

Under the auspices of the Sigma Sigma club, an organization in connection with the First Baptist church, a barge ride to Chelmsford Centre last night took place, and at the home of Miss Lena Parker in that town a genuine Hallowe'en party was held with all the accessories that make such an occasion one of the greatest enjoyment.

The party left the post office in one of Hanson's mammoth barges at 7.30 o'clock, and the trip, which occupied a little more than an hour, was enlivened with songs.

Upon the arrival of the party at Chelmsford Centre refreshments were served, and the remainder of the evening was spent in a most pleasant manner with songs, recitations and games. The party left the town about twelve o'clock, tired, but satisfied that they had had a good time.

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J. F. O'DONNELL, 324 Market street, Lowell, Mass.

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F. J. Wiley, Cured of General Debility, Says:

To Prof. Munyon: To all it may concern. I take pleasure in saying a good word for Munyon's Paw-Paw. Seeing the advertisement that samples would be distributed free from the News office, and having suffered for years from general debility, mental depression, no appetite, and lack of interest in the daily duties of life, I availed myself of the free offer and noted at once a change for the better. I have used less than one large bottle of Munyon's Paw-Paw and must say it has made a new man of me. It certainly is a wonderful remedy and should be in every home.

(Signed) F. J. WILEY, Manchester, N. H.

Thomas J. Byrne, Cured of Chronic Catarrh of the Stomach.

I have for years suffered with palpitation of the heart due to nervousness, superintended by a chronic case of catarrh of the stomach. Mr. Buck, a grateful patient of yours from Portland, wrote me calling my attention to your wonderful discovery, Paw-Paw.

I have used three bottles and now am entirely well and I hand this testimonial to you, doctor, unsolicited.

Thanking you, I am
Yours truly,
(Signed) THOS. J. BYRNE, River Road, Manchester, N. H.

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Yours truly,
(Signed) GEO. E. LAWRENCE, Company F, Togus, Me.

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BILLY GARDNER

Will Quit the Boxing Game

HE HAS ENGAGED IN SEVENTY ONE BOUTS

Only Six Decisions Against Him

Billy Gardner will retire from the boxing game at the close of this year. The Lowell boy says that there is not enough money now to attract a man unless he is a champion. While Billy has made considerable coin during his career, yet he feels that in proportion to the time and energy spent in preparing for his contests the compensation is not commensurate and he will seek a living at some other occupation not so exacting and more stable.

He has been in the ring seven years and in that time has engaged in 71 bouts, meeting all comers who were willing to face him, and never resorting to the game of picking his opponents even when he stood well with the club managers in Boston and had an opportunity to select his men with a view to facing easy mutts when he had the chance. He is a game little fellow and during his career has been beaten only six times. Many of his bouts that were called draws would have been awarded him on points had not a previous arrangement been made that in case both men were on their feet at the close of the prescribed number of rounds the bout should be a draw. Billy is yet a young man, being only about 21 years of age and today he is looking better than ever before in his life. He has taken good care of himself, with the result that he enjoys fine health. He has a good bank account, which fact speaks of his careful ways, and after the first of the year will branch out in some business.

Below is a record of Billy's ring career:

1896.			
May 11.	K	Mike Connelly, Manchester,	4
May 28.	K	Jack Welsh, Manchester,	7
June 22.	K	Scotty Coyne, Manchester,	10
June 27.	W	Jimmy Stewart	20
1897.			
Feb. 24.	W	Jimmy Walsh.	4
March 24.	D	Patsey Sweeney, Hooksett.	6
March 28.	D	Patsey Sweeney, Lynn,	10
April 4.	K	P. St. Dennis, Manchester.	6
April 27.	W	Scotty Coyne, Manchester	3
1898.			
May 1.	K	Sammy Lewis, Glen Falls,	7
May 12.	K	Mike Collins, Haverhill	3
May 28.	W	E. Hornbecker.	4
1899.			
March 3.	W	Billy Chisholm, Lowell,	12
March 12.	K	Tommy Heffernan, Boston,	7
March 20.	W	Henry Senter, Boston,	3
April 3.	K	Joe Coppinger, Boston,	2
April 19.	K	Young Carney, Lowell,	4
May 24.	D	Andy Daly, Lowell,	15
May 30.	W	Geo. Boles, Hartford,	10
June 13.	K	Young Swanson, Lowell,	4
Aug. 29.	D	Martin Flaherty, Wallingford	6
Oct. 10.	L	Andy Daly, New York.	4
Nov. 8.	K	Dan Brennan, New York,	5
Nov. 28.	K	Lou Meyers, New York,	8
1900.			
Jan. 15.	W	Young Mack, Boston,	4
Feb. 12	K	Lou Morgan, Brooklyn,	1
Feb. 22.	D	Andy Daly, Boston,	15
March 6.	D	Fred Dinsdale, Clinton.	6
April 6.	L	Tommy Sullivan, Boston,	15
April 19.	K	Jack O'Brien, Brockton,	11
May 2.	W	Billy Barrett, Boston,	15
May 25.	W	Austin Rice, Manchester,	3
June 26.	D	Austin Rice, Manchester,	15
Aug. 8	D	Mike Sears, Lynn.	15
Sept. 3.	W	Jimmy Davenport, Manch'r,	8
Oct. 15.	K	Jack Smith, Brockton,	6
Nov. 6.	K	Andy Paly, Lawrence.	11
Nov. 29.	W	Billy Chisholm, Lowell,	15
Dec. 11.	W	Jimmy Briggs, Boston,	12
Dec. 31.	K	Tim Harrington, Boston,	6
1901.			
Jan. 11.	K	Dan Snyder, Manchester,	3
Feb. 12.	K	Patsey Haley, Manchester,	14
March 11.	K	Ben de Barry, Cambridge,	8
March 12.	K	Ned Maher, Lowell,	1
March 29	K	Joe Flaherty, Lowell,	4
April 19.	K	Tommy Sullivan, Lowell,	11
May 23.	K	George Phelan Manchester,	4
June 21.	K	Kid Rogers, Boston,	1
July 12.	L	Kid Broad, Bridgeport, Ct.,	15
July 25.	D	M. Flaherty, Lowell,	20
Oct 29.	K	Young Saxe, Manchester.	5
Nov. 28	W	Tommy Hogan Boston.	6
Dec. 26	W	Arthur Cote, Biddeford,	15
Dec. 3	K	Billy Critch, Boston,	2
1902.			
Jan. 21.	D	Andy Watson, Gloucester,	6
Feb. 22	K	Eddie Coprolly, Boston,	4
March 11.	D	Martin Flaherty, Boston,	10
April 19.	K	Jack Carrig, Boston,	6
May 5.	D	Mike Sullivan, Boston,	6
May 19.	D	(bestod) Jack Carrig, Boston,	10
Nov. 18.	D	Toby Irwin, San Francisco,	15
1903			
Jan. 15.	L	(bested) Danny Duane, Boston,	8
Feb. 11.	L	Willie Fitzgerald, Boston,	1
April 17.	K	Arthur Cote, Biddeford, Me,	6
May 1.	W	Belfield Wolcott, Boston,	12
May 12.	W	Jimmy Kelley, Fall River,	10
Aug. 10.	K	Willie Lewis, Fall River,	7
Sept. 8.	K	Fred Breeon, Boston,	2
Sept. 16.	K	Tommy Daly, Boston,	10
Sept. 22.	W	Danny Duane, Fall River,	12
Oct. 7.	L	Haney Mellody, Boston,	9

Jimmy Gardner has decided to return to Lowell and with his young wife will occupy a house adjoining that of his parents.

It is the intention of George Gardner when he returns east to secure an interest in the hotel business either in this city or Boston.

$17,000 STOLEN

DETECTIVES ARE MAKING A SEARCH FOR BUCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—Detectives are scouring Boston, aided by the police, for a clue to Alfred A. Buck, the assistant cashier of the Mapleton State bank, of Mapleton, Minn., alleged to have stolen $17,000. The man is believed to be in hiding in this city. He disappeared October 13, leaving a letter behind in which he set forth his shortage. He is 32 years old, five feet ten inches tall, weighs 245 pounds and is of good appearance. Buck is known to be heavily armed and is said to have written to his friends that he would fight before he would permit himself to be arrested. He has also written that he would kill himself before he would permit himself to be taken.

HALLOWE'EN PRANKS.

Tonight is Hallowe'en, so look out for fun and pranks. The celebration of this occasion dates back centuries, and it has lost none of its popularity among some of our people. In old days All Hallows eve was merrily celebrated. The stranger was brought in and bade be merry o'er the hearth. Apples were split for him and the wassail stirred. A great bowl of milk had baked apples in it and roasted pears cut up and stirred to mush. There were floating nuts and divers things for divers kinds of digestions. So very merry were those days of All Hallows that it took three days to celebrate them, and the farm-hands that kept the lands were just able to tend the lowing kine and neighing horses. Mine host and his guests lived nights with their boots on and drank the wassail merrier and merrier as the days went on. Matches were made and lovers met, and the old, old story, ever new, was repeated, just as it is in these days and as it will be while human life lasts.

Our Hallowe'en is a festival for the old as well as the young; a game in which grown-up folk can indulge without loss of dignity. The young woman can become a child again, and the man a boy. All hands are bent on having a good time, and the games are those played long years ago.

Are you invited to a Hallowe'en party? If not, get "next" at once, or have a Hallowe'en party of your own. A tub, a cake, a looking glass, a candle and stick, a ring hidden somewhere in the cake—knives, nuts, candy and fruit, and if you are looking for fun you will get all is coming to you.

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BABY'S FINGERS

Caused Imprint on Window Pane in Fall River

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Oct. 31—Little Eliza Cross, with some soap and hot water, disposed of the "psychic phenomena" described as a manifestation of the supernatural in the form of an ineradicable hand imprint on the kitchen window pane.

Little Eliza's youthful arm was directed by an energetic mind that knew that the spot on the glass was no outward and visible sign of the visitation of a power from the great beyond. So she rubbed out the prints of four fingers and a thumb made upon the glass of the kitchen window of her father's home at 91 Reeves street; the marks, some one said, had been placed there to show the little girl that she was in error in being skeptical about spiritualism.

Little Eliza spoiled what might have been a choice subject for psychical research when she scrubbed and polished that window pane. But she did not know what destruction she was bringing about when she erased the spot. She did not know that it had been placed there by a power not amenable to the laws which govern acts of the mundane population. She did not know that she was trespassing with soap, water and a cloth upon the premises of the distinctively occult in metaphysics.

She did not know that those stains were signals to unbelievers. She did not know that it had been said that all the soap in Bristol county, all the hot water in the mill boilers, all the cleansing acids ever in solution could not wash it out, and that she could have cried like Macbeth for "All great Neptune's ocean," without making an impression on the stain.

All the innocent girl knew of the portentousness of her act was, "the window was dirty and I washed it."

But yesterday afternoon little Eliza realized fully what she had done; she opened her deep, blue eyes and looked Fame full in the face. An army of photographers, newspaper writers and past masters in metaphysics tramped across the rocky field to the three-story white tenement house on Reeves street where Thomas Cross lives with his six children, of which Eliza is the eldest. They were there full of confidence and ambition, to scrutinize, measure, photograph and trace the mysterious hand mark and transmit the inexplicable formation to thousands of the skeptical.

Little Eliza, with the soap suds dripping off her small white hands, suspended the operation of washing the floor long enough to wonder and to explain. Eliza is the "little mother" of five small children now. While her father toils in the cotton mill the small daughter cares for the motherless children.

For 10 long weeks Mrs. Cross was sick. The tender nursing of her little daughter and her friends made her comfortable, but it could not save her life. During that long period there was little time for Eliza to attend to the daily ablutions of her little sisters and brothers.

So it happened one warm day in September that the chubby fingers of the baby of the family, browned by the soil of the street, were pressed against the window pane in a signal to one of his playmates outside. The sun burned the imprint, and it remained on the glass for several weeks. Passers by saw it, but marveled not.

But, lo, one day there came by a space writer, a student, a delver into mysteries of the old world, a man with an imagination like unto that of those who have so graphically described the feats of the Indian necromancers. He saw, and even as he saw, he knew that here was coin. That which had passed for the commonplace and ordinary, under the revelations of the prophet whose name, unfortunately cannot be handed down to posterity, became the manifestation of the supernatural.

But even as the oracle was passing little Eliza was pouring the hot water from the kettle to the pail. As the prophet was wending his way ruminating across the field little Eliza was rubbing the soap over the saturated cloth.

As he was dipping his fevered pen into the ink well and imposing upon the papers of a continent, the little mother of the house was fast obliterating that spot, unmindful of the fact that she was actually rubbing out a great discovery.

In the words of little Eliza: "The baby put his dirty fingers on the window and I washed out the marks as soon as I had time."

Then the little girl apologized to the photographers, the reporters, the metaphysicians and other scientists, for allowing the window pane to remain stained so long.

"But mother was sick so long, and then she died, and I haven't had any one to help me since," was the little mother's plaintive explanation of that "psychic phenomenon."

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CRUISER CHICAGO

TO BE PUT OUT OF COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Orders have been issued to put the cruiser Chicago out of commission at the New York navy yard, with a view to her complete repair for service as flagship of the Pacific station. She will replace the New York which will be assigned to the North Atlantic station.

SACRED HEART BOYS WON.

Hurrah for the Sacred Heart parochial school football eleven! They trounced the Butler schools yesterday afternoon by the score of 11 to 0. Mike O'Loughlin, John Craig and Richard Robinson were the stars of the victorious team. Swelled Punk Rogers of the vanquished team, as usual, kicked at everything but the ball. He had better buy a book on football and study it for a few hours; then he might be fast enough for the Day Nursery eleven.

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PARKS GUILTY

The Jury Was Out Only Twelve Minutes

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—For the second time within two months Samuel J. Parks, walking delegate of Housesmiths and Bridgemen's local union, 2, was convicted of the crime of extortion in the court of general sessions yesterday afternoon.

It took the jury just twelve minutes and two ballots to agree on the guilt of Parks. He was accused of extorting $500 from the builders of the Tiffany studios, under threat of keeping them from continuing their work last January.

Parks was defended by a distinguished array of counsel, which included ex-Assistant District Attorneys James W. Osborne, Bartow S. Weeks and George Gordon Battle. It was shown that Parks had obtained $500 from the Tiffany firm as an "initiation fee" last January, when the housesmiths and bridgemen were on strike on three of the Tiffany contracts in this city. Parks claimed that this money was a fine levied by his labor union.

During the trial the fact developed that Parks had been disloyal to his union, inasmuch as he permitted the Tiffany firm to employ non-union men on certain jobs after having received the $500.

THE CHARGE NOT DENIED.

The accusation was not denied by the defendant or his counsel during the trial. Mr. Osborne contended that Parks had given the money to the treasurer of his organization, and that the entire transaction was a business deal, which, instead of being a crime, afforded considerable business advantage to the firm which paid the money. During the trial the counsel for Parks endeavored to introduce certificates as to the prisoner's delicate state of health, but Judge Newburger refused to admit them.

Mr. Osborne made an excellent defence, although he had very weak grounds to stand upon, while Mr. Rand, on behalf of the people, placed Parks in a very unenviable light before both the public and his fellow unionists.

For a time it looked as if Mr. Osborne's efforts had made a deep impression on a few of the jurymen, but if any of them favored the prisoner before the case was given to them by Judge Newburger, the brief charge by the court was sufficient to clear their minds of any doubt as to Parks' guilt. In his charge Judge Newburger said that it made no difference what disposition Parks made of the money after he had obtained it from the representatives of the Tiffany firm, if, in the belief of the jurymen, he had obtained it under a threat, direct or implied, as that fact would constitute extortion, the crime charged against the prisoner.

KNEW IT WAS UNFAVORABLE.

When the jury returned to court the prisoner as well as his counsel knew that the verdict would be an unfavorable one for them. When the jury was polled and the prisoner ordered to stand up when the verdict was rendered, Parks glared at the jurymen with the same look of defiance he has maintained during this as well as his previous trial.

Parks is far from being a well man, as he is afflicted with tuberculosis of both lungs. When he was remanded for sentence a week hence he walked out of the court crestfallen.

Parks is now awaiting the decision of the higher courts on a writ of error, having been sentenced to a term of not less than two and a half nor more than three and a half years in Sing Sing prison where he spent a few days before being released on the writ.

The charge on which his former conviction was secured was extortion also.

Parks' previous conviction was for having extorted $250 from Josephus Peoples. Four other indictments for extortion are pending against him, and one for perjury, incident to his testimony in the Plenty case.

WED AT MIDNIGHT

Lovers Were Not to be Denied

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., Oct. 31.—After traveling across the Atlantic in pursuit of his sweetheart, who was waiting here to wed him notwithstanding the injunction of her parents, Albert Robertshaw claimed his bride at midnight and started on his honeymoon early yesterday morning.

Miss Edith Drysdale, the bride, came to South Manchester two months ago to visit her relatives. Her parents objected to the attentions of Robertshaw in Ireland, where the young couple lived four miles apart. But when he wrote and asked his sweetheart if she would wed him here, she promptly cabled an affirmative answer.

Robertshaw sailed on a steamer for Boston, which was the first he could get. He cabled that he would reach here last Wednesday night. Miss Drysdale's relatives, who were persuaded to sympathize with her, made preparations for the wedding on an extensive scale. Invitations were issued and the trousseau prepared. Rev. Geo. P. Rogers, a clergyman of Wales, Mass, a friend of the bride's family, was on hand.

But when all was in readiness for the bridegroom Wednesday night, a telegram from Boston announced his steamer overdue. For 24 hours Miss Drysdale was very nervous, but yesterday came the news of the arrival of the ship. The wedding guests again assembled at 7 p.m. when the wedding was to occur, but though the bridegroom arrived he could not find the town clerk to get a license.

With his bride-to-be he searched the town for the clerk, to learn that he had left town for the night. Taking a carriage, Robertshaw drove to the clerk, who consented to return. The license was issued in time for the ceremony at midnight, and the guests made merry until an early hour.

Robertshaw is the son of the president of an insurance company in Ireland, and his bride is of a prominent family. The couple will reside in South Manchester, and Robertshaw will engage in business in Hartford.

SERVICE FOR MEN

DR. C. H. MEAD OF NEW YORK THE SPEAKER—CORNET AND VOCAL SOLOS.

The speaker at the Y. M. C. A. meeting for men in First Congregational church, Sunday at 4 p. m., will be Dr. C. H. Mead of New York, a mere mention of whose name in places where he has once spoken, is sufficient to draw a full house. He is the kind of man one never tires of; always something new to talk about, and no matter how long he speaks when he stops you wish he had only begun. The exercises will be opened with a rousing song service which will be thoroughly enjoyed by the men. There will be cornet solos by Roscoe McDaniel and vocal solos by Nettie S. Roberts, who will also sing with cornet obligato by Mr. McDaniel. Every man will want to attend this service.

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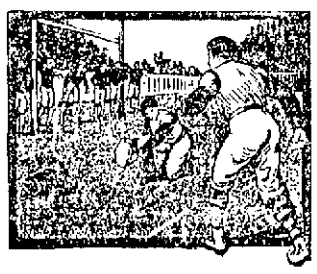

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A TONE WIZARD.

Mr. Harold Bauer, the noted pianist who is coming to Lowell next Thursday, is brought here by the M. Steinert Son's Co. and all lovers of music should show their appreciation of such enterprise on the part of one of our local business houses, by turning out in large numbers to hear this eminent musician, of whom the New York Post has the following to say:

"Paderewski himself could not have produced more ravishing effects of tone-color than Mr. Bauer did. It was one of the wonders of the musical season. What need is there of orchestra when such tone-colors can be produced on a piano by a tone-wizard!

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

One only needs to read in another column the elaborate and attractive array of talent which the Lowell Orchestral society offers to its patrons during the present season to be convinced that the society is doing its share towards keeping the musical art in Lowell on a high plane and affording its devotees the highest kind of pleasure. And all this at a trivial cost. One may well wonder how such artists as Ruby Cutler Savage and husband; Maud McCarty, the talented violinist; Mme. Rosa Linde and her charming daughter, the latter having been invited by the great Sembrich to sing with her in opera; Rudolph Krassel, the new 'cellist of the Boston Symphony, and all the others and more not yet mentioned, can be presented for the paltry sum of 25 cents for each recital. The great inquiry for tickets means that Huntington hall is going to be crowded and well it might be. To remedy the great inconvenience of standing in line several hours in the biting air, the first choice of reserved seats will be sold at auction next Wednesday, Nov. 4th, at 2.30 p.m. in Huntington hall. In the past the premiums have been very insignificant. After the auction, seats can be secured the following day at Austin's music store. The price of a season ticket, giving two reserved seats and admitting to all the rehearsals at Odd Fellows hall is $3.00. The first recital is Nov. 15th.

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Mrs. W. L. D., Helena, Mont., writes: "I have waited one year before writing you of the permanent cure of my son. He took sanitarium treatment, as well as other advertised cures, but they all failed until we gave him 'ORRINE.' He is now fully restored to health and has no desire for strong drink."

Mrs. U. L. R., Kansas City, Mo., writes: "I am satisfied that drunkenness is a disease and the worst in the world. 'ORRINE,' in my opinion, will cure any case if taken as you direct. I was a common drunkard for 20 years, but today I am free of any desire for liquor. You have found the specific. God bless you!"

Mr. A. D. L., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I was born with a love of whiskey and drank it for 32 years. It finally brought me to the gutter, homeless and friendless. I was powerless to resist the craving and would steal and lie to get whiskey. Four boxes cured me of all desire and I now hate the smell of liquor."

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FOR SMUGGLING

Three Men Arrested in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Samuel Grumberg, S. Burman and C. A. Baetler, were arrested yesterday on a charge of smuggling lace curtains, valued at about $2500 into this port.

The complainant is Ralph W. Clayton, a treasury employe connected with the New York office, who alleges that the three men with the other who has not yet been taken into custody, conspired to make a false entry concerning lace curtains.

They were arraigned before United States Commissioner Fiske and held in $5,000 each for a hearing on December 1.

BASKET BALL

Tonight the battle begins.

Now, Bill Kelliher, do your best and take the opening game.

The Lowell team will have the most attractive uniform in the league.

Manager Smith of Manchester is sending out season tickets.

It will be Low against Kelliher tonight. Jimmy Harrington will oppose McFarland.

"Dutchy" McDonald, Charlie Connors and John Tierney are likely to be league referees.

Mike Qualey says that the Manchester team cannot be tempted by the too generous offers of the Connecticut leaguers.

Concord, Lowell and Manchester are the heaviest salaried teams in the league. The great battle will come between these three, too, according to all "doping" on reputation and form.

Connecticut league salaries are on paper only. Beware of them you fellows who want to get the real money. Gray, Driscoll, Smith, Stewart, Newton and Van Zaul will deliver the goods regularly, so hold on to what you have before you try new fields.

Charlie King will be given a try out with the Shawlights in their game with the Lexington A. C. He has been exercising in the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium and has reduced himself to his normal weight. He'll make good all right.

Manager Gray looks for the most successful season in the history of basketball. He says that the game is booming all over New England and that Lowell will prove to be the banner town. The first local game will be played next Thursday night and fish horns, cow bells and other noise making machines will be in order.

When you come to think of it Lowell has turned out about as many and as clever men as are playing the game today. Just look at the old Burke bunch that Jimmy Redmond brought into prominence. They defeated the cream of the national league and turned the trick on the best of them hereabouts. Then take the P. A. C. men with Allard at their head. Mike McMunnan, too, was an old reliable, and there were others of the stamp of Oscar McFarland. Lowell has held the lead in basketball since the game was first played here and this year will find the city standing by its reputation.

George Sexton, formerly captain and right guard of the Shawlight 2nd team, has signed with the Derby, Conn. Y. M. C. A. team. He is a valuable player to have on any team, being remarkably fast on his feet, and has a good eye for the basket. The Derby quintet is considered one of the fastest teams in Connecticut and has the proud distinction of having on its team Mickey Gannon, who holds the Connecticut state record for scoring baskets in a single game.

Mayor Howe has accepted an invitation to attend the opening game of basket ball in this city. Manager Gray saw the mayor last night and his honor agreed to toss the ball into the cage at the opening game. There will be a brass band in attendance and the season will be opened in a blaze of glory.

There has been such a demand for seats that Manager Gray decided to put them on sale early and today he placed the reserved seats in Ellingwood's for the accommodation of patrons of the game.

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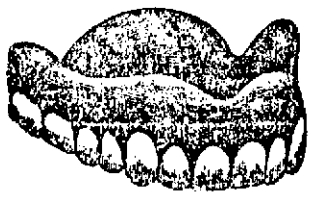

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Mansfield In "Old Heidelberg."
"Marta of the Lowlands"

PLAYS of THE HOUR

Sothern In "The Proud Prince."
"Babes In Toyland" a Hit

THE new Lyric theater has begun its career auspiciously with Richard Mansfield in "Old Heidelberg." The playhouse is large and tastefully decorated, the stage room is ample, and, altogether, the inaugural attraction is well cared for.

"Old Heidelberg" is familiar to many theater goers. Aubrey Boucicault has starred in it, and the picturesque German production has also been seen at the Irving Place theater in this city. Mr. Mansfield's presentation of the play has charm and artistic finish. In the leading role of Karl Heinrich he invests the character with dignity and conforms strictly and consistently to the character as the author, Wilhelm Meyer-Forster, originally created it.

German Atmosphere.

Mr. Mansfield sought atmosphere in the staging of "Old Heidelberg" and was successful, though in one or two minor instances he might have done better perhaps. The play consists of five acts, the action taking place partly at Karlsburg and partly at Heidelberg.

The story of the young prince who has been brought up to know life only as a narrow minded, joyless old uncle (reigning over Sachsen-Karlsburg) chooses to reveal it to him is illustrated sympathetically by Mr. Mansfield. The stiffness, constraint, hesitancy, lack of initiative worn into the young man's very soul Mr. Mansfield does not entirely dispel even after the prince goes to Heidelberg with his old tutor, Dr. Juttner (A. G. Andrews). Once in Heidelberg, with his gay, rollicking students ever ready to burst into song, with its pretty barmaids and foaming fruit of the tap, the youth and the professor immediately seek to forget the existence of books, of everything, in fact, except the rare vintages that make the old feel young and the young feel very, very old even in other places than old Heidelberg.

To the young prince, whose eyes are now opening to the pleasures of the world, all is like a dream, a paradise on earth. He learns to laugh, to frolic with the best of them, to make love to dainty Kathie (Grace Ellision), a valued helper of Innkeeper Ruder, an excitable, obese old soul who finds this life "too much for one man."

But when the awakening comes and Karl has to return to Karlsburg to take up the reins of state because of the mortal illness of his uncle the lad finds it a tremendous sacrifice to leave the scenes of the only pleasures he has ever known, to leave Kathie.

The tragic comedy of the play is no more pronounced than at the time when, two years later, Karl hurriedly decides to go back to Heidelberg to see once more, but only for a few moments, the spot with such precious reminiscences. Kathie is still there, but the students have changed. The peace dispelling revelers of the prince's time have given way to dignified classmen who pride themselves on their knowledge and practice of the usages of formality. They drink and clink steins in unison, as one might say, by number. Just as a recruit in the army learns to "right shoulder arms." They sing for the honored guest. At a word all rise in straight lines along either side of a table and chant in a singsong, dingdong fashion from books! All this reminds Karl that his day is past: only Kathie is the same. He really loves her, but he cannot marry her. For reasons of state he must give her up and marry a princess. So they separate.

The singing of the German students in act 2 is delightful. It is a treat in chorus work such as one seldom hears. A. G. Andrews is excellent as Dr. Juttner. Leslie Kenyon as Lutz, Prince Karl's consequential valet de chambre, has a showy part and is good.

"Marta of the Lowlands."

"Marta of the Lowlands" at the Manhattan theater is an interesting presentation of underlife in Spain, or, to be more explicit, in the province of Catalonia. Corona Riccardo, who is a native Spaniard, plays the title role acceptably. Hobart Bosworth as Manelich, a shepherd, the role second to that of Marta, throws life and vigor into every scene in which he appears, but at the same time his physical being militates against him in that it has nothing in it suggesting the Spaniard. He is broad, bulky and Angle-Saxon as opposed to the insinuating, lithe, sinuous Latin.

As a picture of love, intrigue and passion in life among the lowly "Marta" is accurate, conforming strictly to the atmosphere in which the figures act. The people in the play rotate around a common center, Marta, the daughter, now grown up, of a beggar woman long dead. Marta as presented by Senorita Riccardo is a creature of intensity, an extremist. She knows no middle way. She either loves or she hates. Clearly she is not one to make possible a platonic friendship.

Marta comes under the influence of Sebastian, a land wealthy planter and mill owner with less principle than a veteran lobbyist, and, hear ye, that is saying a great deal. While a mere child the Spaniard deceives Marta, she not realizing the meaning of her relations with her master.

Finally, however, the time comes when Sebastian desires to marry the daughter of a wealthy friend. To put Marta out of the way he forces her into wedding the shepherd Manelich. He is simple minded, having more knowledge of goats and sheep than of men and women. Sebastian's idea is to maintain his former relations with Marta, using the shepherd as a blind. He overreaches himself. The shepherd falls in love with Marta, and she with him, after learning that Manelich really loves her and had not been bought into marrying her. Manelich gradually sees through Sebastian's scheme. He becomes violently enraged and is put out of the settlement by the guards. Sebastian then comes to Marta in the mill yard in the evening. She had been held there a prisoner by his orders. Marta repels her persecutor until Manelich, returning by a secret way, rushes in and challenges Sebastian to combat. They clinch, and the powerful shepherd strangles the master in true Spanish style. Thus does he win the exclusive right to his bride, and together they go to the mountains, where mere man and his minute badness will leave them undisturbed in their happiness.

A Pretty Dance.

A dance of the peasants in the mill yard at evening after the marriage of Marta and Manelich is a pretty kaleidoscope of color and graceful movement.

The scenic effects present harmonious color ensembles and lend touches of Spanish atmosphere.

Angel Guimera, the Author.

The play, in three acts, is translated from the Spanish of Angel Guimera, the Catalonian poet and writer. Wallace Gillpatrick and Gaston Marburg prepared the version used by Manager Harrison Grey Fiske. Guimera began to write verses at an early age. He is the accepted representative of the Catalans and has won much honor in his own land. The Spanish government awarded him prizes for his poems "Country," "Faith" and "Love." Guimera has written several plays. "Marta" has proved definitely successful in Spain and has been produced in Servia, France, Italy, Cuba, Mexico and in various South American countries.

E. H. Sothern's New Play.

"The Proud Prince," which E. H. Sothern is now presenting at the Herald Square theater, is a play in which immorality aids in the pointing of a moral. Religious elements and phases intermingle freely with phases of the careless life of a dissolute king and his followers. One element is seemingly introduced to balance the other, and first one arm of the scale is lifted, then the other. The moral shakes itself free from all other attachments in the last act when the proud prince, King Robert of Sicily (Mr. Sothern), is restored to his right mind and body, from which he had been previously dispossessed, illustrating forcibly that the humble will be uplifted if they but wait long enough and make amends for their sins by much travail of soul and crushing of spirit.

The play is daring. It handles without gloves the pastimes of a licentious monarch and his court. Little is left to the imagination. The costumes are elaborate and thoroughly in keeping with the extravagance of the time.

Summed up, the acting is better than the play. Justin Huntly McCarthy, the author, has marred a strong plot by developing it weakly. Though milder than originally, the play is still unnecessarily broad. The art of Mr. Sothern and his associates redeems it. His transition from the king to the fool is admirably done. Miss Loftus is entirely adequate. L. Rogers Lytton's Hildebrand is pictured with good judgment and understanding. While the role might easily have been made one of a swashbuckling sort, boastful, compelling, Mr. Lytton illustrated the part of the true gentleman of the court, experienced, ambitious, reserved and yet not unmindful of the charms of the ladies. His stage presence is attractive, and the artistic finish of his work evidences careful, studied preparation. He is forming a style strong and advanced that should bring him more prominently before the public ere long.

"Babes in Toyland."

Are you looking for about three hours of splendid recreation? If so go to see "Babes in Toyland" at the Majestic theater. Here is a novelty scintillating with scenic splendor, abounding in pretty, graceful girls, catchy lines and pleasing songs. Unique in conception even during these days of jaded theatrical appetites and blase "Johnnies," the "babes" are well calculated to scare away the worries that now and again flit across turbulent brains.

The friends of boyhood and girlhood clothed in all the gorgeousness of up to date stage reality smile, dance, sing and talk to us across the footlights, taking one swiftly back to the spanking age, when all the world was but a great, glorious playground. Pre-eminently a spectacle, "Babes In Toyland" also has a plot. Yes, and, stranger still, the underlying story is adhered to throughout the play, and traces of it are actually visible in the last act. Will wonders never cease?

William Norris as Alan, a nephew of Barnaby, a rich and villainous miser (George W. Denham), is exceedingly good. Norris has also succeeded in tragic roles. Some of the best lines in the play fall to his lot, and he is not lacking in the ability to deliver them effectively.

Mabel Barrison as Jane, Barnaby's niece, is cute—in fact, lovable. Even the mere thought of her does much to brighten this dreary world.

Bessie Wynn is a sweet Tom Tom, eldest son of the Widow Piper. She sings sweetly and would be an ornament to any beauty show. Miss Wynn is winning and winsome. She has grace, charm and ability, and greater things are before her.

Roderigo, a sentimental villain, enacted by Frank Hayes; Gonzorgo (Charles Barry), his hard hearted partner, and Inspector Marmaduke (Gus Pixley) of the Toyland police are very funny indeed.

The particular features of the play are the spectacular effects. Lavish hands have prepared the settings. The scene in the spider's forest in act 1 is unique, and not least among the enjoyments is the parade of the wooden soldiers.

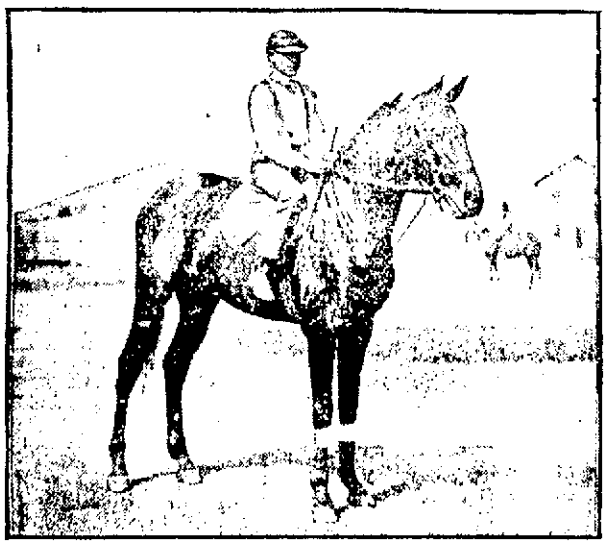
NEWTON OTIS.

New York.

Should Virginia Earle's tour in "Sergeant Pegge" prove a success in this country she will take the piece to London in the spring.

TWO SCENES FROM "THE PROUD PRINCE." PHOTOS. BY BYRON, N.Y.

TWO SCENES FROM "MARTA OF THE LOWLANDS." PHOTOS. BY BYRON, N.Y.



CAMERON, THE WELL KNOWN EASTERN THOROUGHBRED.

Cameron, owned by the Mexican stable, is a four-year-old brown horse by Meddler—Annat Lyle. His trainer, H. M. Mason, considers him to have a startling burst of speed, and he will be campaigned actively throughout the entire season in the east next year. A recent accident incapacitated Cameron, but he is now thought to have entirely recovered.

Crescent City Jockey Club.
California Turf Affairs

WINTER HORSE RACING

A Football Comparison—
Western Versus Eastern Scores

THE Crescent City Jockey club has completed arrangements for the coming winter meeting at New Orleans and, like many other prominent turf organizations, has recognized the great strides made by racing in the last two or three years by increasing the value of the stakes and purses.

The New Orleans officials have gone deep into the treasury of the club and have inaugurated various improvements. They have bettered the track, enlarged the grand stand and in other ways have endeavored to contribute to the comfort of their patrons. These improvements have cost more than $25,000.

The New Orleans Opening.

The New Orleans stakes close Nov. 14. The meeting opens twelve days later with the Inaugural handicap, $1,250 added, three-quarters of a mile, all ages. Valuable races then follow in rapid succession, and the meeting, as usual, will continue into the new year and wind up during the middle of March with the Crescent City Derby, $2,500 added, one and one-eighth miles, for three-year-olds.

It is to be hoped that in addition to improving the conditions surrounding New Orleans racing the Crescent City Jockey club will also devote much needed attention to the actual running of events. Last winter several unsavory episodes brought the Crescent City races into undesirable notoriety. Horses persisted in running with no regard whatever for form. Jockeys rode just about as they pleased, and a thorough investigation was finally required. Occurrences like that do the racing game inestimable harm, and a little precaution beforehand would have saved the New Orleans officials a great deal of unpleasant work.

California Winter Racing.

Winter racing at the New California Jockey club begins Nov. 11. This organization has control of three plants, those at Oakland, Tanforan and Ingleside. California racing has met with reverses of late years, but now the outlook is promising. The Burns handicap is the most valuable event to be run under the auspices of the new club. This race is for two-year-olds and upward, one mile and a quarter, $10,000 added. Thomas H. Williams is president and Percy W. Treat is secretary. The stakes closed Oct. 26.

Baseball Echoes.

From all indications Boston baseball sharps will never, never, never cease to crow over the defeat of the Pittsburg Nationals by Jimmy Collins' husky aggregation of American leaguers. The collapse of the Pirate pitching staff was providential for the Boston Americans. While this fact undoubtedly contributed materially to the defeat of the Pirates, their playing in the field was far below standard, and there seems to be no reason to account for it. Think of Hans Wagner, the greatest all around player in the country and unquestionably the strongest shortstop in uniform today, making three errors in a single game! Well, that is just what he did. And Tommy Leach, the scintillating third baseman, was also "off his feed." Was it overconfidence, carelessness? Then, too, the Pittsburgs could not hit the ball. During the National season they batted out of the box men as clever as Billy Dineen, yet the Bostonians put the double cross on them so effectually that the trifle of Dreyfuss looked like a bunch of schoolboys. Even the redoubtable Hans Wagner, the muscular, handsome Beaumont, the hard hitting Bransfield, seemed to be in a trance, and when they woke up, lo, the Bean Eaters had them tied hand and foot!

But it is all over now. Postmortems can't bring a corpse to life. Fred Clarke and his warriors have another guess coming, and in the meantime the Boston lads are doing their best to get rid of the large bundles of prize money they received as their share of the spoils. Every player on the world's champion team received more than $1,000 as his share of the receipts from the Boston-Pittsburg series.

A Football Problem.

Why do western football teams persistently roll up larger scores against weaker rivals each year than do the eastern elevens? Here is a problem that long has been a topic of discussion. Every season the western records show a list of games in which teams like Michigan, Wisconsin, Chicago and Illinois, for instance, have made more touchdowns than there are runs in an ordinary baseball game. In the east rarely indeed does Yale, Harvard or Princeton pile up more than thirty-five or forty points even when pitted against elevens that are not superior to the teams which the westerners overwhelm. At the same time there is no reason to believe that the big western teams are stronger than the leading eastern aggregations. Only recently there occurred a striking illustration of the foregoing state of affairs when on the same day Michigan, Illinois and Minnesota scored, respectively, 79, 64 and 46 points against fairly capable elevens. Had the defeated teams played against eastern teams of prominence corresponding to that of the western victors it is certain that the scores would have been not more than half so high.

Probably the explanation lies in the fact that the western college elevens develop the offensive work of their men to a greater extent than do the easterners. In the east a college eleven is generally as strong on the defensive as on the attack. Therefore, while they may not be able to score a large number of touchdowns, they are prepared to prevent other teams from scoring at all.

The West Point-Annapolis Game.

Pigskin pushers everywhere are glad that the annual contest between West Point and Annapolis is not to be abandoned. At first the outlook was dubious owing to the differences existing between the authorities having the game in charge at both institutions. The playing on the West Point team last year of Charley Daly, formerly captain of the Harvard eleven, was one of the causes of dissension, and now that the soldiers have put into effect a rule concerning college men that will prevent Daly playing against Annapolis this year the middies are as peacefully inclined as a flock of lambs in a clover patch.

The game is scheduled for Nov. 23 and, as heretofore, will be played on Franklin field, Philadelphia, through the courtesy of the University of Pennsylvania.

The football differences between the two war studying organizations are now settled by a court of arbitration, consisting of a representative from Annapolis, one from West Point and a third agreed upon by the two first named. This arrangement, it is hoped, will prevent all chance of future breaches.

BEN TAVIS.

CAPTAIN JAMES JOHNSON, CARLISLE INDIAN FOOTBALL TEAM.

PROFESSOR L. M. DENNIS OF CORNELL.

Professor Dennis is the well known football authority who represents Cornell university on the intercollegiate rules committee.

COACH YOST'S CRITICISM.

One of the severest critics of the new football rules is Coach Yost of Michigan. In his opinion the rule which requires seven men in the line between the twenty-five yard lines is a step backward. He says that Princeton is the only big university which has played seven men in the line for several years, and he points to the little success it has had. Yost would substitute a rule requiring six men in the line all the time and in all parts of the field.

Of another of the important changes made by the intercollegiate rules committee Yost says:

"Giving the first man that receives the ball permission to carry it beyond the line of scrimmage, provided he crosses the line five yards from where the center put the ball in play, will not add much to the game except disputes, as it will often be hard to determine just where the line of scrimmage was crossed by the runner. Under the old style of game on runs that crossed the line five yards from center with a good fast quarter back the play would be just as fast and effective; in fact, it would be more so, for there would be an extra man in the interference."

A THEATRICAL CARTOONIST.

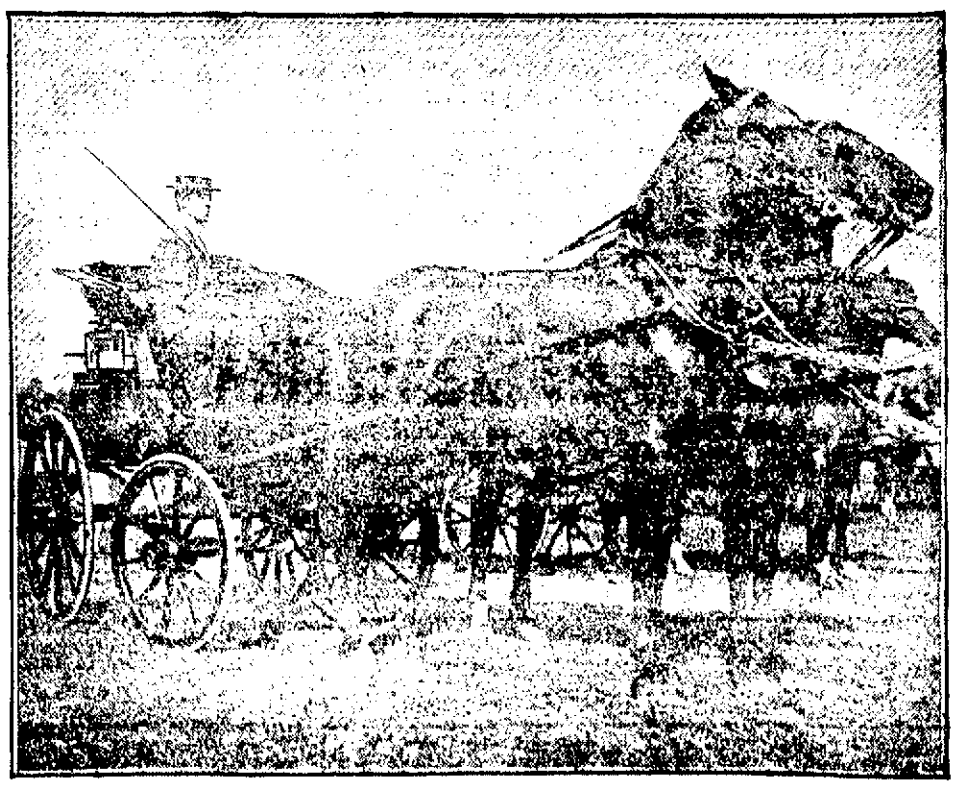
Frances Willard, a member of the chorus of the "Peggy From Paris" company, has joined the New York Art league and will continue her art studies during the season. Unlike most young women, Miss Willard does not go in for painting flowers all over the family china, but is developing her talent as a caricaturist. So far as known she is the only woman caricaturist in the country. Her cartoons of the people she sees in the theater are classed with the work of such cartoonists as Opper and "Zim."

A LITERARY ACTRESS.

Pearl Gibson, one of the New England schoolma'ams in "The Sultan of Sulu," is a frequent contributor of short stories and poems to the magazines. She spent her holidays last summer in Halifax, N. S., and has just completed a volume of short stories based upon material gathered there which will shortly be published in New York. It is called "A Haligonian Summer."

DRAMATIC REVIVALS.

Willard Spenser will make elaborate revivals of "The Little Tycoon" and "Princess Bonnie" next season. The company, presenting both operas alternately, it is said will be under his personal direction.



ALBERT C. BOSTWICK, THE NOTED AUTO RACER, DRIVING A TEAM OF SHOW HORSES.

POLITICAL FIELD

Prospects for Democratic Candidates Brighten

M. J. MAHONEY.

A Comparison of the Candidates in the 26th District—Democrats Should Vote for all County Officers

A largely attended meeting of the newly organized democratic club of wards one and six was held at the club rooms on Lakeview avenue, Wednesday night, when the democratic candidates were present as the guests of the club.

The following officers were elected: President Henry Hame; vice-president, Michael Casey; secretary and treasurer, James Duffy. The speakers of the evening were Rep. M. J. Mahoney, Councilman Pinder, Robert E. Conroy and George E. Ward. The attendance was enthusiastic throughout and the club gives promise of becoming quite prominent. Phonograph exhibitions followed the speech-making. The next meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon when a rallying committee will be formed and plans made to get out the vote.

Only a few days more remain in which the candidates can get in their canvassing though most of them are about finished with this work. The next matter to attend to is that of getting out the vote on election day. The best and only way for the mill people to be sure of voting is to go to the polls before they go into work in the morning. A hundred and one unforeseen circumstances may arise during the day that will prevent them voting and the only safe way is to vote early. Democrats, vote before you go to your work in the morning, and under no circumstances fail to vote. If you are so located that you cannot get to the polls conveniently notify the democratic city committee and a carriage will be sent wherever you may want it.

George R. Duren of Carlisle, democratic candidate for county commissioner, was in town yesterday after having made an extensive tour of the county. In conversation with The Sun reporter he said: "I have covered as much of the county as I could in the short time allotted to me, but I feel highly elated over the warm reception tendered me by republicans and democrats alike wherever I went. There is a fast growing sentiment all over the county that the county ring has had its day and that it is time to get in new blood. Republicans realize that they cannot break up the ring unless they combine with the democrats and for that reason as an evidence of good faith many of them will vote for me. I may not be the man who will succeed in breaking up the ring, but I will pave the way for some other man and will work as hard for another candidate in another year as I am now working for myself. All I want is for every democrat in the county to vote for me whether he believes I can win or not. Then we can see how far we are being supported by the other side and will know how to proceed next year." Every democrat should vote for Mr. Duren. He is a dyed-in-the-wool democrat and has held up the party honor for years in his own town against great majority.

In the sixth senatorial district in which Mr. Farley is the democratic candidate, there is little hope for a democrat, the district being overwhelmingly republican, but in the seventh district there is a chance and Michael J. Mahoney, the democratic candidate, is one of the ablest and strongest candidates ever nominated by either party. Mr. Mahoney has a host of friends in his district and they are not confined to one party. He has also a fine record in the legislature where he has served for two years. He is an able debater, well read and well informed, thoroughly honest and progressive, and will be a credit to his district if elected. He can be elected if the democrats of the district will give him the support he deserves from them. Mr. Mahoney was one of the foremost advocates of the Butler statue movement. He was on the right side on all labor measures that came up in the legislature. The working people of this city can never hope for just labor laws until they elect men who will introduce and stand by such measures. Mr. Mahoney has time and again shown himself to be the friend of the laboring people and will do so again if elected.

With the memory of the great strike still fresh in their minds the mill people of this city should not need any instructions as to who to vote for in the coming elections, on the representative ticket. In the 26th district in which most of the cotton mill workers live, the democrats have nominated three candidates who should appeal to the working people above any others that could be nominated. In the first place there is Robert Conroy, leader of the quietest and best conducted strike ever known in New England, which, while unsuccessful, won for the mill workers the respect and sympathy of all New England. For seven years past Mr. Conroy has devoted all his leisure time to building up of the textile unions of Lowell working for them continuously for seven years without pay. He knows the needs of the mill operative in regard to legislation perfectly and will be a tower of strength to organized labor in the legislature. He has been a labor leader who has worked every day and Agent Southworth said of him that he was one of the best hearers in the business. The mill people of the district if they will consult their own interests will vote for Mr. Conroy to a man. Another candidate familiar with the needs of the working people of this district is George E. Ward, a prominent member of the Typographical union, formerly a member of the Trades and Labor Council, and one of the men to whose efforts nearly all the printers in Lowell are now drawing union wages. Mr. Ward is a forcible speaker and has often been heard in debate. Then thirdly there is John J. Pinder, the leader of the democratic minority in the common council this year. Mr. Pinder has worked hard for the poor people of his ward during his incumbency and advocated all measures that would give citizens of Lowell work. He is a good talker, well informed and is not afraid to get up and say what he thinks.

Such are the three men nominated by the democrats. How do they compare with their republican opponents?

Cecil Adams, president of the common council and foremost of the republican candidates, is the son of a mill man and the candidate and tool of the corporations. He is registered from a hotel in ward one but lives in Huntington street in ward nine, and hence really does not belong in the district. There was no chance for him to get a nomination in the 27th district, so he has his name put on from the ward one hotel and represents himself a resident of the 26th district which he is not. When the measure to have all city printing done by union labor and bear union label came up Mr. Adams vigorously opposed the measure and signed a petition against it. During his term as president of the common council he has distinguished himself by running away whenever things were not going to suit him, running out of the president's chair and declaring an adjournment or a recess. An instance of this happened only the other night. It seems that there is a petition before the city council signed by 75 voters of Hampshire street to have that street improved. At the last meeting of the common council there were votes enough to carry the order for those improvements which had been recommended by the street committee and passed by the board of aldermen. All they needed was the endorsement of the lower branch. A majority of the lower branch was in favor of the order but President Adams was not and in order to block the majority he ran in when the members were out in the corridor, called to order and declared the meeting adjourned for lack of a quorum though there was more than a quorum within call. And the residents of Hampshire street, all of whom reside in the 26th district, will have to wait for their street improvements until Cecil gets ready to give them to them. It is probable that the residents of Hampshire street will rejoice at the opportunity to vote for Cecil on election day.

Rep. Brown, the second of the candidates of the republicans in the 26th district has a record of once making a motion to adjourn during the several years that he was in the city council. As he has only been one year in the legislature he has not yet had time to do anything except answer roll calls. Bills of local interest might come up in the legislature every day in the week and Rep. Brown would not know them as he has never been in touch with the mass of the people.

The third candidate is Harry Timmons whose claim to fame is the fact that he is a brother of "My Man Timmons," the ubiquitous Fred who used to be a much sought after man when the late Col. Jim Bennett was in his prime. Fred is sponsor for Harry. Harry is best known by his resemblance to Fred. If you see a young man who closely resembles Fred, it's Harry.

To aid the republicans in the 26th district and perhaps for another reason best known to the Textile council and a certain republican paper that paper is booming John McDonald, ex-secretary of the Textile council who is a socialist candidate for representative in the 26th district, hoping to split up the vote of the democratic mill operatives in the district and thus defeat the three democrats on the ticket. Mr. McDonald in running for office in this city displays a nerve that is well nigh supreme. Mr. McDonald is no longer a resident of Lowell and has not been for some time, having moved with his family to Waltham where he is now employed. And yet though a resident of Waltham Mr. McDonald has the presumption to run for office as a candidate from the 26th district which takes in four wards of a city some 20 miles removed from Waltham. Mr. McDonald hasn't a ghost of a chance to win and a vote for him only means a vote against Mr. Conroy and the other democrats on the ticket.

Capt. "Joe" Thompson, who has held the position of registrar of deeds since he returned from the war, scents a scheme on the part of the democrats to turn him out of office and through paid advertising in a republican paper calls on all veterans to hold him in office. Capt. "Joe" is about due for a silver or a golden anniversary of his first election to the place and it would be cruel to dislodge him before he has been in office at least 25 years.

"O'Brien and McMahon" is the watchword throughout the 27th district and the Westall boom has gone "busted."

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AN INSANE CRANK

Tried to See President Roosevelt

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31—Edward Tanner, 33 years old, a native of Switzerland and a crank, tried to see the president yesterday, but he did not get far beyond the doors of the executive offices before his condition was discovered.

He was taken to police headquarters and later to St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum.

GREEK CHARGE

Against the Evening School System

AND METHOD OF INSTRUCTING THE GREEKS

English Teachers Not Understood by Greeks

The following letter brings to public attention a grievance of the Greeks who are obliged to attend evening school and who as yet understand no English:

Demosthenes Generalis, M. D.
Associate Building,
Lowell, Mass. Oct. 29, 1903.

To the Editor of the Sun.

Dear Sir:—I hope you will be kind enough to allow me a little space in your valuable paper for the following open letter concerning the Greek pupils.

Truly yours,
Demosthenes Generalis, M. D.

To the committee of the evening schools of Lowell.

Dear Sirs:—

It is the duty of every man to strive for the benefit and interest of others without any exception of race, much more is it the duty of a person who is connected with them by kinship or patriotism.

This is the reason which urges me to send the letter to your committee of the Lowell evening schools, although I have not the honor of being known of you.

The evening instruction, as it is practiced in the evening school (Mann) among the Greek young boys, is not practical or efficient, it is simply a deplorable farce. The result of the instruction in the preceding years is proof of what I state; it is evident that the Greek pupils who have attended the said evening school in preceding years do not know anything about the English language, excepting those who had a great desire to learn and could afford to take private lessons from Greek teachers in the intervals between school lessons.

Now here is the fact: In the present year there are about 600 Greek boys attending evening classes at the Mann school, with 41 teachers, as published in the newspapers; three out of this number are Greeks, Mr. Iatros, who, so to speak, supervises and does not teach; Professor Mantafounes, who teaches, and Mr. Tsigurakes, who has lately been appointed. The 600 Greek boys have practically only one teacher.

Now those forty English teachers teach six hundred young boys every evening, who do not understand English, and their teachers do not understand Greek.

Under these circumstances, how is it possible that such instruction can be of benefit to those Greek pupils? How can the pupils understand the explanation of their English teachers, when they are entirely ignorant of English? Do you think by gestures the teachers make, the pupils can catch the meaning in their own language? The response is obvious.

It is a truism that is an inexplicable fact, how and upon what prop you have leant, to appoint English teachers to teach pupils ignorant of English, when you can find her a number of fine Greek teachers for the evening school for those Greek boys. It is an inconceivable wrong, and we cannot understand the reason why, in Lowell, English teachers are preferable in such evening schools, when in the other cities, as for instance in New York, Haverhill, New Bedford, etc., they are rejected, when there are teachers of the same nationality as the pupil, to be taught.

I repeat, we cannot find a possible word, why, when you have in this city very fine Greek teachers knowing, permit me to say, English literally, as Messrs. George Hasaloures, Peter Maurageorges, Constantine Moustakis, Michel Demaras, Apostolos Johnson, Peter Antonopoulos, Alexander Smyrenos, George Vozeolas, James Athanasholes, John Marcopoulos, Peter Chageroulx, George Gouzouleu, John Prempas, Constant Antonopulos and Miss M. Terjakis, all honest and well bred young people, and many others whom I do not remember, you have appointed English teachers; possibly because you did not know that there were such teachers, up to today, or you have been informed by others that there are no such Greek teachers knowing English, who, with gladness and willingness would accept such a position and heartily and efficiently instruct their fellow countrymen, who, after being prisoners in the mills the whole day, are constrained to go to the evening schools to be prisoned again for two hours, without any intellectual benefit.

Do you not think, if such is the case, that it is better to leave those unfortunate beings to enjoy themselves during those two hours freedom by playing in streets and breathing the fresh air, of which their health is in great need, than to have them stooping upon the benches, trying to understand the unknown words of their teachers and predisposing them to severe diseases? Do you think there is any joy or any pleasure to the pupil when he does not understand his teacher, for he, at that moment is sick, and longs for the time to leave the bench, with disgust?

It is time, dear sirs, to correct this very severe fault, and to save the money which you spend each week, in vain, for those Greek boys.

By substituting one part of those English teachers, or all, if possible, by Greek ones, or having an assistant teacher to each class, who will explain the words of the English teacher, or if the budget for the evening schools does not permit it, you can compel each Greek pupil to pay ten or more cents per week for their instruction, which they gladly will pay, for I know the same boys sometimes pay fifty cents to a dollar a week to some Greek teacher for private English lessons; otherwise it will render them more assiduous to their lessons, and the instruction will be fruitful to the boys.

You can take my letter, written under the influence of philanthropy in behalf of the Greek boys, who are thirsting for the knowledge of the English language, and ardently desire to master it, so as to freely express their thoughts and to be relieved, as soon as possible, from being the manikins of the interpreters of their affairs and mockery of one of the present Greek teachers, who, so indiscreetly said, last year, that "He must leave Lowell when the Greeks learned to understand English." Unwittingly, you have appointed "the wolf to keep the sheep."

Respectfully yours,
DEMOSTHENES GENERALIS, M. D.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. B. Cox of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist. Only 50c.

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That old broken down, bad tasting tooth can be saved and made useful again if you will go to Dr. Allen, Old City Hall, Lowell's painless dentist.

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FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 30, 1903.

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Margaret Judge, admx., to John J. Preston, Thomas Judge estate on Blossom street, $1300.

C. D. Kimball et al. to Peter Curran, land on School street, $1.

Harriet F. Barnes to Angie E. Gray et al., land with buildings on Lavoy street, $1.

John P. McGovern to William E. Newton, land with buildings on Pearl street, $1.

Helsey W. A. Sweetser to Patrick F. Greening et ux., land with buildings on Lincoln street, $1.

Jacques Baisvert to John Kilroy, land with buildings on Hildreth street, $1.

A. Wilbert Starrett to Lewis R. Stevens, land at Sorono park $1.

Elizabeth Richardson to Wellman W. Hatch, land with buildings on West Fourth street, $1.

Simon Lagasse to Albert St. Onge, land with buildings on Conduit avenue, $1.

Arthur Genest to Pierre N. Hernard, land on Riverside street, $1.

Siron Lagasse to Marie Simard, land on Aiken street, $1.

Fred W. Jenness to William McDonald, land on Coburn avenue, $1.

Alfred Bergenblo to A. L. Russell, land with buildings on Inland street, $1.

Hiram C. Gordon to Martina A. Gage, land on Wentworth avenue, $1.

Katharine F. G. O'Donnell to Tedlin Crossguth, land with buildings on Pleasant street, $1.

City Institution for Savings to F. J. Mellen, land with buildings on Bassett street, $1.

Ernest Genest to Clovis Cuedette, land near Avon street, $1.

Henry J. O'Dowd to John J. Fahey, Jr., land on Crawley street, $300.

Jacques Boisvert to Patrick Henry and Ella Dafey, land with buildings on Hildreth street, $1.

TYNGSBOROUGH.

Clara E. Mitchell et al. to Peter Ekstrom, land with buildings, $1.

BILLERICA.

Emma E. Varnum to Edward W. Bruce, several lots of land at Pinehurst annex, $1.

WESTFORD.

Fred O. Stiles to A. F. Blanchard, land on Beaver Brook, $1.

LOWELL.

Lewis R. Stevens to Henry F. Sawtell, land at Sorono park, $1.

Simon Lagasse to Celia Desmarais, land on Lakeview avenue, $1.

Joseph Loiselle to Liborie Perrault, land with buildings at Navy Yard road.

DRACUT.

L. R. J. and D. H. Varnum to Frank Esmond, land at Mt. Pleasant, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Harry C. Wright to Clara A. Salmon, land with buildings on Washington street, $1.

WILMINGTON.

Jacob W. Wilbur to Charles S. Smith, land at Silver Lake park, $1.

George A. Sedenaker to Clara W. Osborne, land with buildings on High street, $1.

George W. Clatur to Ernest L. Davis, land with buildings at Silver lake, $1.

Brought to Light

Lowell People Receiving the Full Benefit

There have been many cases like the following in Lowell. Everyone reades the experience of people we know. These plain straight-forward statements will do much toward relieving the suffering of thousands. Such testimony will be read with interest by many people.

Mr. John Gallagher of 21 East Merrimack street, says: "Three years ago I had severe pain in my back which I attributed to rheumatism. Reading about kidney troubles led me to wonder if the kidneys were not the cause of it. Having heard of the value of Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney ailments I bought a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, corner Merrimack and Central streets. The wonderful relief ensuing from their use proved the trouble proceeded from the kidneys and at the same time proved the great value of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have since then always kept them in the house and from catching cold or other cause when I felt the least indication of backache a few doses of this remedy soon ended it."

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CUT IT OUT
Quit White Bread and Coffee and Got Well.

A tale that sounds like magic, yet is but a simple evidence of what proper food can do in the place of improper food:

A lady of Quincy, Ill., says: "It seems impossible that I could have gone through what I did and be alive and well today. I was most of my life troubled with a weak stomach and severe headaches and as I grew older I slowly got worse. One physician treated me five years for dyspepsia without any help and I went to another physician who said I had a tumor and I believed him. I was unable to bear even the loosest clothing and could scarcely lift my head, finally becoming entirely bed-ridden.

"Then I changed to another doctor who said I had chronic catarrh of the stomach and advised a change of climate telling me I would get well if I would winter in California. He might as well have advised a trip to the moon in my case. Then I tried a change of diet. It seemed I could not live on crackers and tea nor could I find anything else to agree with me and it began to look as though I was doomed to die. So I made up my mind to eat everything that I craved and determined to die happy at least in the thought of not starving to death.

"Now that I look back at it I don't see how it is possible for a human being to live through such misery as I did. Of course my stomach trouble grew worse and my head grew worse. I had all my hair cut off but it did not help me and when one of my headaches was on I was really and truly crazy and did not even recognize my husband. The doctor would give me morphine tablets to stop my crying.

"Then a friend who knew what she was talking about advised me to give up white bread and tea and coffee and try the predigested food, Grape-Nuts, and Postum Coffee in place. I did so and I have had grand results. The improvement began immediately. I had fallen from 125 pounds to 98 pounds in my sickness and with my hair cut off and gray too, I was a fright.

"In a few days after I started Grape-Nuts I could eat a little beef and crackers without the least discomfort, my face began to fill out and the awful distress in my stomach soon ceased. Then my headaches began to grow less frequent and the sick dizzy spells have gone from me altogether and I have reached and passed my former weight and am now comparatively well and strong. I am certainly happy and I never touch coffee now for I am certain that coffee and the white bread and biscuits caused all my trouble. As soon as my body got the proper food it did not take it long to put me right both in body and mind. All the credit is due to Grape-Nuts and Postum in place of white bread and coffee."

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DISASTROUS FIRE

Broke Out in Philadelphia Business District

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31—One person dead and possibly two, a dozen persons injured, and a property loss of more than $200,000 is the result of a fire which occurred at noon yesterday in the block bounded by the Schuylkill river, Race, Vine and 23d streets.

The dead: Charles Messmer, aged 16 years.

Missing: M. C. Williams, a roofer.

The buildings destroyed were the flour mill of W. S. Woodward & Sons, and the Baltimore and Ohio grain elevator which adjoined the Woodward structure. The wagon works of H. Kaiser & Co. was damaged by a wall falling upon the roof. The fire began in a frame building between the flour mill and the grain elevator and it quickly spread to these buildings. Eight men were working on the roof of the grain elevator when the fire began and seven of them are known to have made their escape. The eighth, M. C. Williams, cannot be found and it is believed his body is in the ruins.

For a time it looked as though the flames would reach the wagon works and the employes of that place were put to work removing vehicles and other stock. While this was going on the grain elevator wall fell on the roof of the wagon works and buried nearly a dozen men under the debris. Firemen promptly went to the rescue and worked until last night when the body of Messmer, an apprentice, was found, and it was thought they had succeeded in getting all the employes of the works out of the place. August Grimow, a blacksmith, and John D. Lyons, a painter, were painfully but not seriously hurt and ten firemen were also injured during the progress of the fire.

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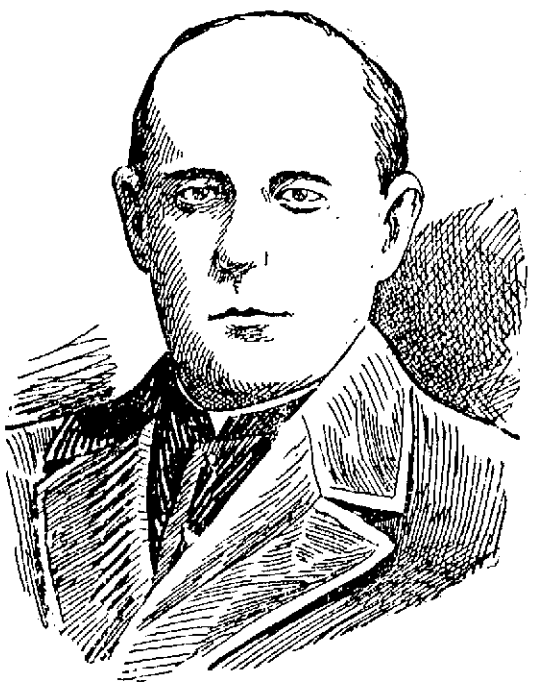

BISHOP SPALDING, L. L. D.

Elected President of the Teachers' Association

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Tremont Temple could scarcely accommodate the gathering of men and women teachers from all grades of the public schools in Middlesex county who were in attendance at the 51st annual convention held yesterday. There were morning and afternoon sessions.

The morning session was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Dr. Thomas Sims, pastor of the Central Congregational church in Melrose, after which Pres. Fred E. Nickerson, superintendent of the Melrose schools, introduced as the first speaker Dr. Luther H. Gulick, director of physical training in the public schools of New York city, who spoke on "Some Differences in the Development of Boys and Girls."

"The Ethics of the Teaching Profession," was the subject of an address by William H. Maxwell, superintendent of public schools, New York city. The three greatest virtues for a teacher, he said, were culture, independence and gentleness, and the greatest of these is gentleness. The teacher must be helpful to the children and it is only through gentleness that helpfulness may be exercised.

The closing address was by Miss Florence Holbrook, principal of the Forestville school, Chicago, on "Literature in the Eelementary Schools." Miss Holbrook was of the opinion that every normal child has within him the power to enjoy the beauties of literature, and it is for the teacher to awaken this love for what is best. We are all dependent on environment for growth. Feeling antedates thought, and the power to understand precedes the power to express.

A. L. BACHELLER PRESIDENT.

The afternoon session opened with a delightful musical program given by a finely-drilled chorus of 200 boys and girls from the Somerville English high school under the direction of S. Henry Hadley, director of music in the schools of Somerville and Watertown.

Then came a brief business session. The report of the treasurer stated that at the beginning of last year there was a balance on hand of $93.66. The receipts from various sources amounted to $492.86, and the expenditures $273.18, leaving a balance of $219.68.

Supt. Whitcomb of Lowell presented resolutions on the death of Frank A. Hill, secretary of the state board of education in Massachusetts. The resolutions referred to his worth as a teacher, as a man of culture and kindly heart, expressed regret at his loss and sympathy for his family and friends.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Albert L. Bacheller, Lowell; secretary and treasurer, J. Lewis Wightman, Malden; vice presidents, Charles E. Howe, Wakefield; R. J. Pitman, Marlboro; James W. Applebee, Newton; Bradford W. Drake, Waltham; R. W. Corlew, Wayland; executive committee, Robert C. Metcalf, Winchester; John S. Emerson, Somerville; B. C. Gregory, Chelsea; Melissa E. Elder, Everett; W. C. Whiting, Melrose. The following were elected delegates to the Massachusetts Teachers' convention: Fred W. Nickerson, Albert L. Bacheller and J. Lewis Wightman.

Mr. Nickerson, who presided, then introduced as the speaker of the afternoon Rt. Rev. John Lancaster Spalding, bishop of Peoria, Ill., referring to the great honor and pleasure it gave him to present one who had done so much in the cause of education, a man universally loved because of his great service to the people of his state and whose fame as an orator and author was too well known to be rehearsed.

BISHOP SPALDING'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Spalding read his address from manuscript. He said it was in compliment to and respect for his cultured audience that he followed the example of polite society in the French academy and prepared what he had to say rather than trust to the inspiration of the occasion. He received a very cordial greeting.

The speaker began by defining education as the furthering of life—to purify the original sources of man's powers; for the perfection of the esthetic, religious and moral as well as the intellectual and physical. The end and aim of education is to inculcate high ideals of truth and justice and this is the ground of all our hope. School is but an incident. Heredity, environment and work has much to do with the development of our standards and character. We never cease to be molded.

The child must not only be taught what it does not know, but how to behave when he does not behave. The teacher is not a mechanic, but an artist, for his aim is to build men, not to make encyclopedias. The teacher who makes ideals real gets at the heart of the scholar, exalts his mind and purifies his heart. One is self-educated through life. Good, like evil, is commonplace. Take children away from school and place them in an environment devoid of ideals and you invite them to corrupt one another.

The speaker not only touched upon the aim of education, but those agencies which make for character and influence life. There is the home influence which is so largely due to the mother's devotion and love; the education through the teacher at school; the influence of society and the state in which one lives. The free state is the people's university.

Religion is the most quickening influence, that which is embodied in the Christian church. It holds out the hope of immortality and makes men understand the sacredness of human life. It keeps alive feelings of justice, faith, love and holiness, and teaches that they alone are free who free themselves from within. It is the school for respect and loving obedience. Without morality there can be no religion, and without religion there can be no morality for the great mass of mankind. Without schools no church or state can live.

At the close of the address Bishop Spalding held an informal reception on the platform and a very large number took this opportunity of meeting the distinguished prelate. The teachers were presented by Mr. Nickerson.

CRUISER BALTIMORE

STARTED FOR SAN DOMINGO LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT NEWS, Oct. 31.—The cruiser Baltimore sailed last night for Puerto Plata, San Domingo, where she goes to protect American interests.

THE TERRA NOVA

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HOBART, Tasmania, Oct. 31.—The Terra Nova, an auxiliary relief ship formerly a New Foundland whaler, has arri here after a splendid passage. The ening, the Royal Geographical society's relief ship, is expected daily. Both vessels will start for the relief of the Discovery, the British exploring vessel, the first week in December.

SUNDAY SERMONS

TO BE PREACHED AT DIFFERENT CHURCHES TOMORROW.

ADVENT.

Grand Street, Rev. C. R. Crossett. Morning—"A Radical and Dangerous Change in the Faith of the Church." Evening, "I Must Become Better Before I become a Christian."

UNIVERSALIST.

First, Rev. C. E. Fisher. Morning—"The Light That Never Failed."

Grace, Rev. R. E. Greene. Morning—"Before He Suffered." Communion at noon. Union service with First Universalist church in evening.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. James M. Craig. Morning—"John the Baptist." Evening, Anniversary service of the Woman's Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. Scott F. Hershey of Boston.

METHODIST.

St. Paul's, Rev. George B. Dean. Morning—Communion and reception of members. Evening "Moral Insanity."

Worthen Street, Rev. James F. Allen. Morning—"The Present Profit of Christian Service." Evening, "Voices That Reach the Heart."

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Mathews. Morning—"The Right Standard." Evening, "Three Advisors."

Berean, Rev. W. H. Yarrow. Morning—"Does Religion Pay?" Evening, "The Tabernacle in the Wilderness."

BAPTIST.

First, Rev. Smith T. Ford, D. D. Morning—"That Men Might Not Perish." Communion. Evening, "Is the Christian Religion Trustworthy? If so, Why Are People Humbugged?" There will be a prelude on "Dancing parties under the auspices of the High School." Baptism.

Immanuel, Rev. Robert T. True. Morning—"Christ's Coming Reception and Rejection." Evening, "Serving Sin, the Result and Cure."

Worthen Street, Rev. A. P. Wedge. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening.

North Tewksbury, Rev. C. L. Pierce. Morning—"Lessons from Life of Samuel." Mrs. Safford, who recently made a tour of the world in the interest of missions, will deliver an address in the evening.

FREE BAPTIST.

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. Morning—"Following the Christ." Evening, communion service and Lord's Supper.

Mt. Vernon, Rev. Stephen D. Millin. Morning—"The Divinity that Shapes Our Ends." Communion at 12. Evening, "A Chained Blessing."

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kenngott. Morning—"What is Spirituality." Lord's Supper. Evening, "A Modern Hercules."

Eliot, Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Morning—Communion. Reception of members. "What Doth the Lord Require of Thee?" Evening, "Dowieism vs. the Gospel."

Highland, Rev. T. Clayton Welles. Morning—Communion. "The Living Leader." 4 p. m., Harvest concert. No evening service.

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. A. McKnight. Miss Mabel Francis, evangelist, at both morning and evening services.

Pawtucket, Rev. E. R. Smith. Rev. J. M. Greene will preach. Morning—"Not This Man But Barnabus." Evening, "Our Help in Trouble."

UNITARIAN.

First, Rev. Chas. T. Billings. Morning, "All Saints." Evening, Rev. Geo. Hamilton of Everett, Mass., will preach.

Free, Rev. George C. Wright. Morning, "Courageous Under Difficulties."

EPISCOPAL.

St. Anne's, Rev. A. St. John Chambre, D. D. Holy communion and sermon 10.30; evening prayer and sermon 7; Sunday school 12.

House of Prayer, Rev. R. G. Osborne. Low mass at 7.30; high mass at 10.45; vespers at 7.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Odd Fellows' Temple, Middlesex street. Lecture at 10.30 a. m.; subject, "Is There Any Future Life Apart from Christ?"

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Middlesex Hall, Palmer street. Morning service at 10.45; subject, "Adam and Fallen Man."

Wesley Church, Runels building, Merrimack square. Rev. William Tate of Boston will supply the pulpit.

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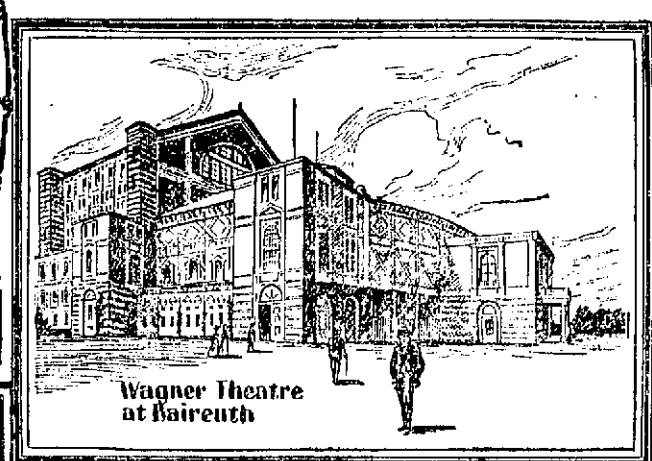
The Wagner-Conried Quarrel Over "Parsifal"

THE vigorous attempt on the part of Frau Cosima Wagner, widow of the great composer, Richard Wagner, to prevent the production in the United States of her husband's swan song, his masterpiece, "Parsifal," has, as might have been expected, had the result of directing the eyes of the musical world and of hundreds of thousands who are not musical to the little town of Baireuth, in Bavaria, the cradle of the Nibelungen Ring and the other famous chefs d'oeuvres of the lamented master. Whatever may be the opinion concerning the propriety of transferring "Parsifal" from its old world setting to the eager if less reverent audiences of the new world, the fact remains that Herr Wagner left this great religious opera as a heritage to the town in which he had made his home for so many of the closing years of his life and by his will decreed that it should never be produced outside of Baireuth. Small wonder therefore that Frau Wagner, remembering her husband's wishes, has fought tooth and nail to prevent the consummation of Herr Heinrich Conried's desires, angered at the thought that in the bejeweled society audiences of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York the religious atmosphere which has prevailed in old Baireuth may be forever lost. On the other hand, one can readily sympathize with the declaration of the manager of the Metropolitan Opera company that owing to the superior facilities for production and the higher grade of singers associated with him the wonderful symbolic piece will gain rather than lose by its introduction to the new world.

Those who have had the opportunity of attending the performances of "Parsifal" at the periodical music festivals of Baireuth bear witness that without doubt it is the most impressive opera they have ever heard. The very theme is conducive of reverence, and the manner of its production is such as to emphasize the religious element in its composition. In brief the story of "Parsifal" is as follows: A body of knights, of whom Amfortas is king, have devoted themselves to the guarding in a Spanish forest of the Holy Grail, the chalice from which Christ drank at the last supper and in which his blood was received on Calvary. Amfortas has been wounded by Klingsor, a magician, who, angered at having been refused admission into the ranks of this noble brotherhood, by magic created a great palace and peopled it with beautiful women, whose mission it was to seduce Amfortas and his knights. Amfortas himself was to be beguiled by one Kundry, who was momentarily successful, and it was at that time that Klingsor wounded the king and robbed him of the sacred spear which, it was said, had pierced Christ's side while he was on the cross. The wound refuses to heal, and a voice from the Holy Grail has told Amfortas that it will not heal until the spear has been rescued from the magician by a "guileless fool" who will come to cure the king.

Frau Cosima Wagner

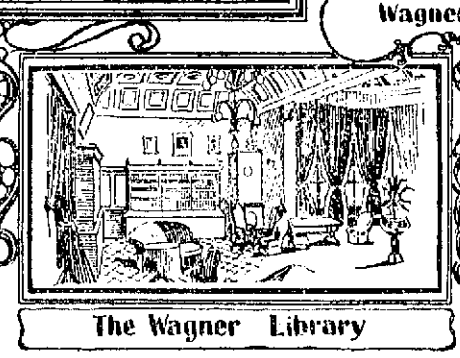


Wagner Theatre at Baireuth

The Wagner Villa

Richard Wagner

Scene from "Parsifal"



The Wagner Library

Siegfried Wagner

The opera opens with Amfortas being carried in a litter to a lake to have his wound bathed. As he passes through a glade a wild swan, the bird sacred to the grail, falls dying before his litter, shot by Parsifal, the posthumous son of Gamuret and Herzeleid, a lad reared in solitude from his earliest youth and now totally unacquainted with the ways of the world. The knights seize Parsifal and bring him before Amfortas, who is informed by Gurnemanz, an aged hermit, that this may be the "guileless fool" prophesied by the voice. Gurnemanz takes Parsifal to the castle temple to witness the unveiling of the Holy Grail. So wonderful and impressive is the scene that the youth is awestruck into a silence which Gurnemanz mistakes for indifference. In anger he drives him out. In his subsequent wanderings Parsifal enters Klingsor's realm, where Kundry and a bevy of beautiful damsels try to tempt him to stay. Remembering the king's misery and the Holy Grail, Parsifal resists their allurements, and in anger Klingsor hurls at him the sacred spear, which, however, remains poised in the air. Parsifal seizes it, and castle, magician and maidens vanish. Eventually Amfortas is cured, and Kundry, the Mary Magdalen of the opera, is redeemed.

As will be seen, there is ample opportunity here for magnificent staging, and those who have witnessed the opera in Baireuth say that they have never seen such picturesque effects as those produced under the direction of Frau Wagner and her son, Siegfried, both of whom exercise an absolute dictatorship in the famous theater, which will accommodate about 1,500 people and stands on a little hill about a mile to the north of the town itself. It is a large red building, not very impressive architecturally, but towering above the trees that surround it. Hither while the music festival, which lasts from a month to six weeks, is in progress a great pilgrimage takes place. Unlike the custom in other theaters, the opera begins at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and those not in their seats when the curtain rises are given no opportunity of witnessing the first act. Upon the conclusion of this act there is a short intermission, and at the end of the second act an hour is given for dinner, which may be obtained at the two restaurants in the theater grounds. Many, fearing the crush at the restaurants, take sandwiches and cakes with them, and are at liberty to stroll at will through the beautiful groves about the opera house. The last act usually begins at a quarter past 8, and the spectators may be in their homes by 10 o'clock, though the great majority prefer to linger for supper after the opera.

The Germans, be it noted, take opera seriously and not, as do the generality of peoples, merely as a form of entertainment. Perhaps it is this more than anything else that contributes to the veneration with which the Wagnerian productions are received. When the first note sounds from the hidden orchestra a deep silence falls upon all present. From the beginning to the end of such pieces as "Parsifal" there is no applause, but the singers can feel the intense sympathy of their auditors and know that their efforts are appreciated. It is said that many of those present sit as if spellbound after the fall of the curtain and appear loath to leave the scene of their intellectual and spiritual treat. And this, it is added, applies to "Parsifal" rather than to any other of the magnificent works of him whom the people of Baireuth lovingly designate "the master."

Wagner's association with the ancient and time honored town of Baireuth dates from 1871. When he first visited it in that year he had an idea that the old opera house then standing could be utilized for the production of his Nibelungen trilogy, but on examination he found it unsuited for that purpose. Nevertheless the beauty of the environs so enchanted him that he determined to make Baireuth the home of his future music. The theater which he succeeded in establishing owed its being largely to the generosity of Ludwig II, of Bavaria, the monarch who ultimately became insane and committed suicide. The corner stone was laid in 1872, and the building was completed in 1876, in which year the first festival took place.

As may be imagined, Baireuth is full of Wagnerian memories, and the old inhabitants tell many interesting stories of the composer, many of which have as their theme his hard struggle for existence, poverty having been the prevailing note in the famous composer's career. He died, it will be remembered, in Venice in 1883, but he was buried in the town he loved so dearly, in the garden back of the Villa Wahnfried, the house wherein he had spent not a few of his happiest hours. Many a visitor to the festivals lays a floral tribute upon his grave.

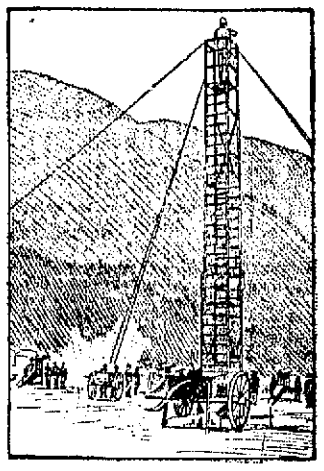
Two other names are inevitably associated with Baireuth, Franz Liszt and Jean Paul Friedrich Richter. Wagner's brother composer, to whom he owed so much in the way of encouragement and financial assistance, is buried in the Baireuth cemetery, not far from the last resting place of the poet Richter, of whom we find pleasing reminiscences everywhere in Baireuth. For nearly a quarter of a century Jean Paul made his home in this quaint, old fashioned town, and opposite the gymnasium stands the monument to him erected in 1841 by King Ludwig I. The sculptor Schwanthaler succeeded in a wonderful way in incorporating in the figure of Jean Paul the genius of the poet of whom it has been said, "His dreams were full of springtime and his springtimes full of dreams."

Frau Cosima Wagner, who has continued the music festivals inaugurated by her husband, is a daughter of Liszt and was first married to Hans von Bulow, from whom she secured a divorce. Nor was she Wagner's first wife, the composer having been married to an actress, Wilhelmine Planer, from whom he separated after having lived with her for twenty years. Frau Cosima was idolized by Wagner, and that she reciprocated his love is the testimony of all who knew them in the old days. Tall and thin, with an aristocratic bearing, she is withal a keen business woman and is assured of an ample income by the royalties from her husband's operas. Their son, Siegfried, is a musician of no mean ability. Indeed, he is acclaimed by many as a musical genius, but there is none rash enough to place him in the same class as his father. He is thirty-four years old, unmarried and noted as a conductor of his father's works.

TRUMAN L. ELTON.

A COLLAPSIBLE TOWER FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

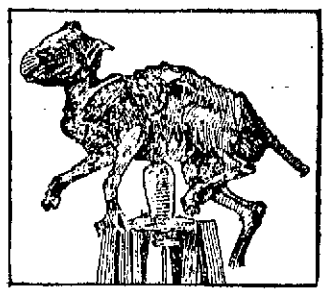
Owing to the nature of the country in which it makes its home the Swiss army experiences a great deal of difficulty in securing satisfactory artillery practice. The trouble has been overcome to a large extent, however, by the



use of high turrets, similar to that shown in the illustration, whereby an observer is enabled to note the accuracy of the artilleryman's aim at a target located amid distant mountains. The towers are strong, but light, and so constructed that they will telescope, thus being moved easily from place to place.

A MUMMIFIED CAT.

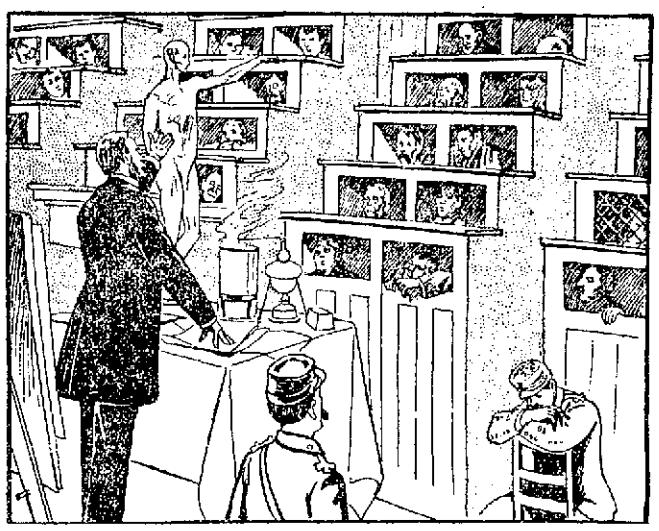
When the British war ship Mencius was broken up the workmen were amazed to find in the side of the vessel the mummified cat shown in the illustration. The war ship was built at Plymouth in 1808, and it is supposed



that while she was being built the unlucky feline, pursuing a rat, jumped between the lining and the outside planking and was wedged there. This unique specimen of mummification is now in the hands of the British customs authorities, but will probably pass ere long into the custody of some museum.

INTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

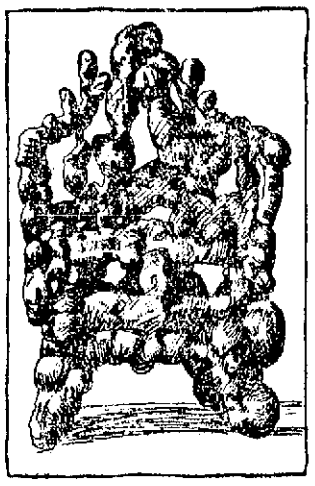
THE LECTURE ROOM OF A FRENCH PRISON.



Many remarkable things come out of France, and not the least remarkable is depicted by the accompanying illustration. In accordance with the plans of a recently formed "society for lectures and discussions in prisons," the authorities of the prison of Fresnes have fitted up a unique lecture room wherein the involuntary guests of the state listen to some entertaining and, let us hope, instructive addresses on drink and kindred evils. As will be seen, the unhappy auditors are confined in boxlike arrangements with but an opening sufficient for them to peer through and so arranged that no prisoner can catch a glimpse of his fellows. The box on the right with the wired aperture is evidently for the accommodation of some criminal more dangerous than his mates. The prison of Fresnes is famed as being not only the largest in the world, but the most hygienic. It is there that the Humberts are confined.

A CHAIR THAT GREW.

The peculiar formation shown in the accompanying illustration is composed of a vine that grows in Korea and which as it grew from the earth was continually bent by the natives to form the chairlike shape which it has assumed. The knobby excrescences were

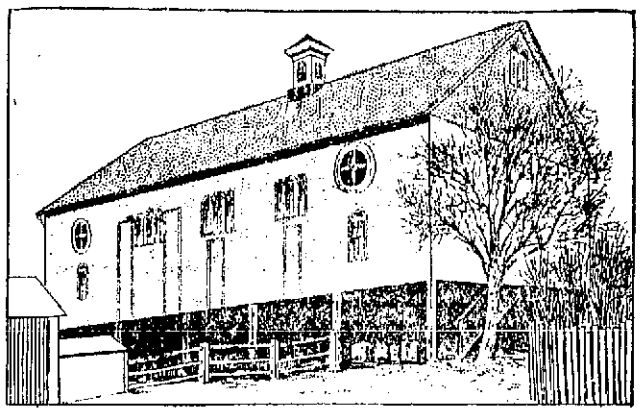


the result of the planting of seeds in the vine. Enthusiastic horticulturists declare that this is one of the most remarkable vegetable freaks in existence. It certainly bears mute testimony to the love of the bizarre which is a characteristic of the people of Korea as well as of those of Japan and China.

HOW THE CHINESE FIGHT THE PLAGUE.

That civilization has a great deal yet to do in China is made manifest by the accompanying illustration, wherein a party of Hongkong Chinese are to be seen engaged in trying to frighten away the devil which they hold responsible for the existence of the plague in their city. Hundreds of Chinese form in procession and make the night hideous with an incessant din produced by yells, gongs, bells, fire crackers, cymbals and all manner of odd looking reed instruments. Even the better classes, men of business whose families have for over half a century come into constant contact with the civilization and religion of the west, take part in these processions. Small wonder is it in view of such conditions that our missionaries find their task in the distant inland cities almost beyond execution.

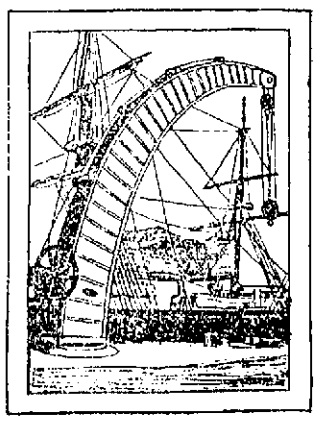
A PENNSYLVANIA HAVEN FOR TRAMPS.



It is not generally known that "hoboes" consider Pennsylvania the most friendly state of the Union, and particularly that section of Pennsylvania which embraces the lower end of Berks county. This part of the state is settled largely by German-Americans, with whom hospitality is the general rule. Of the many who give food and lodging to passing "Weary Willies" none is better known to the tramp fraternity than is Jacob Hiestand, one of the prosperous farmers of the county. It is estimated that Mr. Hiestand's barn, a picture of which is herewith shown, has sheltered no less than 20,000 tramps. The lodging quarters are on the first floor, and here any tramp is welcome to spend the night, provided he will yield any matches or firearms which he may be carrying and which are returned to him ere he takes his departure in the morning.

A MAMMOTH CRANE.

The revolution during recent years in the construction and armament of war ships has necessitated a corresponding change in the equipment of the yards wherein these monsters of the deep are constructed and repaired. For one



thing, big cranes have had to be put in place to lift the heavy guns called for by war ship specifications. The crane shown in the illustration stands in a naval dock yard, of which it is a striking feature. It is said to be capable of lifting a weight of fifty tons, and it

MAKING A NEWSPAPER IN JAPAN.

Those acquainted with the progressive methods of little Japan will not find anything out of the way in the accompanying illustration, although they may be disposed to smile at the exaggerated imitation visible in this oriental newspaper office. The Japanese never do things by halves, as is apparent in the costume of the leading editorial writer, who has just entered the sanctum with the ubiquitous cigarette in his mouth. The heavily clothed gentleman in the background is presumably a subscriber who has come to enter a protest against some item of news displeasing to him. The editor in chief is to be seen talking animatedly to the foreman of the composing room, who is garbed in attire more picturesque than utilitarian. All in all, this Japanese editorial room is an object lesson of the advance of western civilization.

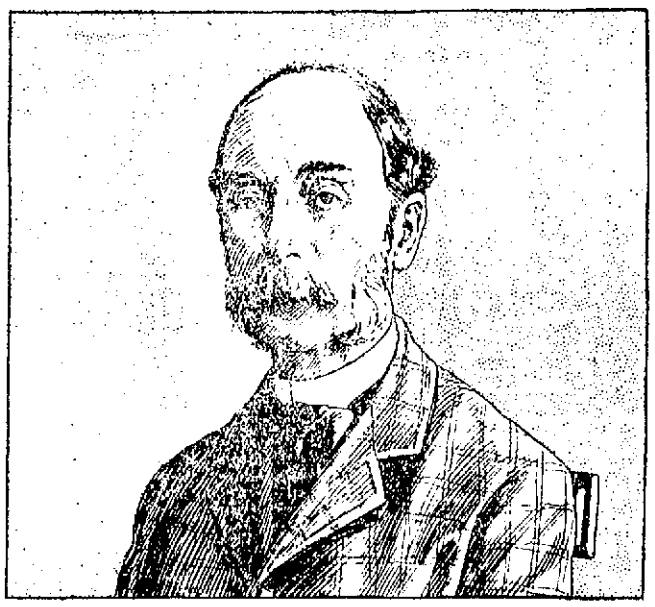
A CHARMING EUROPEAN PRINCESS.

There are few more popular princesses in the old world than the charming Bohemian Princess Pauline Metternich, a portrait of whom is herewith reproduced. She lives with her parents at

PRINCESS PAULINE METTERNICH.

the beautiful castle of Kieslswart, in the neighborhood of Marienbad. Now in her twenty-fourth year, the princess is a skilled linguist, an adept sportswoman with gun and rod and a violinist of no mean repute. Her parents are Prince Paul Metternich, grandson of the famous statesman of the Vienna congress, and the Countess Milanie Zichy of the noted family of that name.

THE FATHER-IN-LAW OF EUROPE.



KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK.

Herewith is reproduced the latest portrait of King Christian of Denmark, who has been dubbed the "father-in-law of Europe" owing to the fact that his children have married into reigning families of several of the great powers. One of his daughters is Queen Alexandra of England, who does not let a year pass without paying a visit to her royal sire. The photograph from which the illustration was made was taken at Vienna while King Christian was paying a visit to his son-in-law, the Duke of Cumberland.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY SPHINX.

Residents in the vicinity of Ightham, a village in Kent, England, have been puzzled by the appearance on the face of a large rock of a sphinx, which, as the illustration shows, is not a bad imi-

tation of the famed sphinx of ancient Egypt. The identity of the sculptor who executed this remarkable piece of carving has not as yet been established, although more than a year has passed since the rock was completed. The gigantic proportions of the new sphinx are shown by the diminutive appearance of the man in the foreground of the picture.

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11.00	12.03	2.00	3.01
a11.45	12.23	e3.00	3.37
a12.14	1.00	a3.47	5.00
1.40	2.50	4.14	5.30
a1.56	2.39	e5.00	5.37
a3.03	4.29	5.33	6.25
e3.47	4.30	a5.47	6.54
4.25	5.30	6.14	7.30
e5.22	6.15	e7.35	8.08
a5.44	7.00	e8.35	9.05
e6.22	7.05	10.30	11.34
e7.23	8.10	11.29	12.23

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6.30	8.00	7.30	8.54
8.00	8.54	9.25	10.32
9.25	10.38	10.45	11.41
10.50	12.00	11.50	1.08
12.05	1.32	2.15	3.19
12.45	1.57	3.30	4.55
2.30	3.35	4.00	5.50
3.10	4.10	6.01	7.05
5.35	6.04	6.35	7.48
5.06	6.43	9.39	10.40
6.15	7.16	B11.16	12.35
7.00	8.08		
9.25	10.30		

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8.15	9.27	8.00	9.17
12.05	1.24	12.00	1.02
4.05	5.18	5.00	6.27
5.50	6.55		
8.00	9.05		

Trains by western division leave Lowell from Middlesex St. Station.

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eExpress.

cFrom Middlesex Street Station only.

B Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SUNDAY TRAINS

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
a6.38	7.30	9.00	10.00
a7.24	8.10	1.00	1.57
8.45	9.49	5.00	5.58
a8.20	10.15	e7.50	8.08
a4.25	5.33	e8.30	9.08
a5.08	7.00	9.00	10.02

LOCAL NEWS

Coal—$6.75 at Stanley's.

Printer—F. A. M. Tobin's Printery.

Business printing, Lawler Print'g Co.

Hire your hacks at O'Donnell's stable. Tel. 439-4.

The Babbitt Optical Co., formerly at 28 Dutton street, now permanently located at Bon Marche Building, Suite 19. Take the elevator.

LOCAL NEWS

Messrs. J. E. Conant & Co. have this week placed a new safe, weighing nearly five tons, in their office on Central street; the need of it having been felt for some time by their growing business.

You are liable to a sudden attack of Summer sickness and should keep in your house a bottle of DR. SETH ARNOLD'S BALSAM, the best known Remedy. Warranted to give satisfaction or money refunded by ANY DRUGGIST IN LOWELL.

A dollar saved is better than two earned, and the easiest way in the world to save money is to have the cold air kept out of your house. More than a third of your coal bill can be saved by having Goodwin's patent weather strip on your outside doors. Call and examine them at 11 Thorndike street.

COWS.

C. H. Hanson & Co. have just received a carload of choice new milch and springer cows.

BULBS.

Now is the time to take care of bulbs. McMannon, the florist, has the largest and best assortment of bulbs to be found in Lowell. He is the only importer of these goods direct from the growers from France and Japan. He handles the kind that grow easily in any house and will cheerfully instruct you how to handle them.

The assortment consists of the leading varieties of tulips, hyacinths and daffodils in all colors, just the right kind for pretty flower beds that bloom in the spring. Call and see them at McMannon's, the Prescott street florist.

UNTIMELY DEATH

Miss Minnie L. Corr Passes Away

It was with the keenest regret that the many friends of Miss Minnie L. Corr, a brilliant young lady of St. Peter's parish, learned of her death last evening, which occurred yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Corr, 36 Cedar street. Deceased had been confined to her home with illness only a few months and though not of a serious nature, her condition gradually grew worse this week until yesterday, when the end came as peacefully as was her whole life.

Miss Corr was 22 years of age, a graduate of the Edson and High schools, the latter of the class of 1900, where in both she won the confidence of teachers and pupils as an exemplary scholar. Possessed of a gentle and loving disposition, coupled with her beautiful traits of Christian character, she endeared herself to all who came within the bounds of her acquaintanceship. A devout Catholic, she for many years was a Sunday school teacher at St. Peter's church, where again she was beloved and respected by all. On all sides are heard expressions of sorrow for the grief-stricken family, for in a short space of time death has removed from the household, where once all was sunshine, a beloved son and a devoted daughter. Leo Corr having passed away just six weeks ago yesterday.

The soul of amiability, Miss Corr made many friends wherever she went, and the cutting off of such a young and useful life while yet in the bloom of womanhood with bright prospects for her eventual success, is deeply mourned by all and her loss may well be termed irreparable. She is survived, besides her father and mother, by one sister, Miss Maud Corr. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community in this their hour of sorrow.

Funeral will take place at 8.20 o'clock Monday morning.

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MURPHY'S GOAT

Scheduled to Win 2.24 Pace at Nashua

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, Oct. 31—The fourth day's racing at the Fair Grounds wound up the customary thirteen heats and left two races unfinished. The latter have a tendency to change during the night, and a winner turns up from an unlooked quarter the next day.

The 2.20 pace was expected to require one more heat to make Glenneda take first money, but Worriment won three heats before any one knew what was doing. Glenneda acted like a different horse, and the judges finally put up Payne to drive the last heat, but the mare was all in and could hardly last the mile out. Online, Jr., won fourth money and did not have to go in the last heat at all.

The 2.14 pace had all kinds of favorites, Nancy Allen, Chum Boy and Celia having a heavy following. An exceedingly dark horse, Ohio M. won the event in straight heats, without any trouble, Nancy Allen taking second, while Chum Boy was outside the money.

The 2.24 pace had as a starter Argue, from the Cox stable, that won a clever race on Tuesday, and took the first heat yesterday, but Cox had to come to a drive to stall off The Goat, belonging to Richard Murphy of Lowell, right at the wire.

In the second heat Argue made a break on the first turn and couldn't make up the lost ground. The Goat stepped around Ringewood in the stretch and cut his mark to 2.19¾. This race was then postponed.

The 2.20 trot was won by Kitty Wilkes, the only mistake she made being in the third heat, which was won by Jimmy Michael, who was equal to her in speed, but went to a break at critical stages.

The 2.18 pace went only one heat and was won by Lady Vleser in 2.17¼. The King horse showed a deal of speed, but had a tendency to make bad breaks.

SPECIAL WRINGER SALE.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are offering some attractive bargains in Wringers. It will pay every housekeeper to visit this sale.

LUCKY "JIM"

MEERSCHAUM PIPE PRESENTED TO MR. McCARTHY.

"Jim" McCarthy, who is supervising the work of painting the gasometer at the Lowell Gas Co., was agreeably surprised yesterday, when he received a handsome meerschaum pipe from his men as a token of their esteem. Mr. Thomas B. Murphy, in behalf of his fellow workmen, in a brief, but well chosen speech, presented the pipe and the recipient, although greatly surprised made an appropriate response, thanking them one and all and assuring them that their kindness would not be forgotten. "Jim" invited the boys to call on him at his home some evening and "hit the pipe."

CASTO THEATRE

For next week at the Casto, Manager Haynes will present the Hoosier Zouaves, 17 men, who were the hit of the season at Hammerstin's Paradise Roof, New York City; the White Tscherkess Trio, a European novelty act; Ascott and Eddie, novelty dancers and acrobatic comedians; Pettingill and De Forrest, the kings of conversational comedy; McIntyre and Rice, in "Brannigan and the Leading Lady"; Cora Miskel and her pickaninnies; Al. Coleman, the mimical monologuist, and Lillian Shaw, the character comedienne. Reserved seats can be ordered by telephone 815-3.

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Sales for the Week Ending Nov. 7, 1903

Monday Forenoon at 10 o'clock

As Mortgagees, we shall sell without limit or reserve, to the highest bidders for cash, at Absolute Auction Sale,

The Extensive Aqueduct and Railroad Contractor's Equipment of Shanahan, Woolfolk & Company,

Including McKiernan Air Compressors, Portable Engines, Stone Crushers, Cubical Mixers, Screening Plants, Pumps, Steam and Gas Engines, Boilers, Drills, Horses, Mules, Wagons, Carts

as used in constructing sections 2, 8, 6 and 12 of the Weston Aqueduct, so-called, of the Metropolitan Water Supply System of Massachusetts, and, with the exception of the large Air Compressor Plant, now located on the premises and in the stables of C. L. Pierce, corner of Cross and Worcester streets, or opposite the railroad station, on the Fitchburg and Boston line and the Lowell and Taunton line, of the Taunton division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., at Framingham, Massachusetts, where the sale will take place.

Two McKiernan horizontal Corliss-Cross compound steam and Cross compound air type compressors, 36 in. stroke, with independent intercooler and two 150 h. p. horizontal boilers. The air compressors are beautiful pieces of machinery, designed and built in the best manner, with the idea of securing the greatest possible economy. They are housed where used, and for a nominal rental can remain until April 1, 1904. Four American Road Machine Co.'s 20 h. p. Ajax portable engines mounted on 25 h. p. Farquhar boilers. Gates' No. 12 portable stone crusher, 3 Champion No. 4 portable stone crushers, 2 cubical concrete mixers, 6 rotary screening plants, 28 force, diaphragm, rotary, centrifugal, duplex, single and Bulldozer pumps, by Douglas, Edson, Vanzie & Fitzgerald, Worthington, Myers, Knowles, Cameron, Deane, Blake, Carlin and others; 5 gasolene engines, by Church and Hamilton; Otto gas engine, small O. & S., Lawrence and vertical engines, Lidgerwood skeleton and hoisting engines, Hoadley and Atlas 20 and 25 h. p. engines and boilers; 16 h. p. upright boilers; Ames Plow Co. 1 and 2 horse sectional rollers; 65 ft. derrick, complete, 18 steam or air drills, by McKiernan, Wood and Rand, tripods, columns and weights, large lot of new parts for drills, 7 U. S. electric firing batteries, immense quantity of iron pipe, from 1 in. to 8 in.; lot of fittings and valves, 5 Stuebner steel cars, lot of railroad iron, from 12 to 40 lbs. to the yard; scrapers, skips, shovels, wheelbarrows, picks, bars, sledges, grub hoes, etc., etc., etc. Nine excellent horses, 14 first-class mules, 36 Old Hickory and Ames contractor's dump carts, 16 Kentucky and Old Hickory contractor's wagons, 5 follower carts, 2 runabout wagons, 1 trap, 13 sets good cart harness, 8 sets double team harness, 2 single driving harnesses, 2 riding saddles, all office furniture, camp housekeeping outfit, etc.

The sale will begin promptly at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, regardless of any weather conditions. The property will be on exhibition during the days of Oct. 30 and 31. All inquiries of any kind should be made at the office of the auctioneers, from whom a detailed catalogue of the property may be obtained.

UNITED STATES FIDELITY & GUARANTY CO.
Of Baltimore, Maryland, Mortgagee.

Thursday Afternoon at 3 o'clock

THE VERY DESIRABLE AND VALUABLE "DOWN TOWN" OR "STREET" PROPERTY ON METHUEN STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON STREET AND APPLETON STREET, LAWRENCE, MASSACHUSETTS, KNOWN AS THE LAWRENCE GENERAL HOSPITAL ESTATE, HAS BEEN SURVEYED AND DIVIDED INTO THREE LOTS AND IS NOW PLEDGED WITHOUT LIMIT OR RESERVE TO THE HIGHEST BIDDERS AT ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE.

The premises are practically in the very heart of the business centre of Lawrence, are within one hundred feet of the Post Office, are less than 500 feet from City Hall and the new Essex County Court House and Registry of Deeds; the principal business banks, savings banks, department stores, general mercantile business and newspaper offices of the city are all within a few hundred feet. All the trunk lines of electric cars pass within two or three minutes' walk of the lots.

Each lot faces Methuen Street and extends back to the fourteen-foot passageway running in from Jackson Street. The most westerly of the three lots also has a frontage on the twenty-five-foot street between Methuen Street and the passage way.

While real estate on Essex Street is worth a great deal more than on Methuen Street, it costs a great deal more in interest and taxes every year to carry it, and the difference in rentals will not make up for the difference in cost. There are many businesses for which either lot of the hospital realty is just as good and the saving in interest and taxes will make a business profitable. Again as Lawrence grows and prospers there will not be room in this very central district for all who desire to locate on Essex Street. Essex Street frontage will become so valuable that business men will be compelled to seek room for growth and extention in the rear, rather than along the expensive front, by bridging over or tunnelling under the passage way in the rear to the cheaper and less expensive property on Methuen Street. This is no more than has been done in all the larger cities of New England. There are half a dozen examples of it in Lowell between Merrimack and Middle Streets. The Essex Street lots being so shallow, only 80 feet, it will come sooner than you expect. It cannot be but a few years judging from the last twenty, before property in this section of Methuen Street will be as valuable as that on Essex Street is today. With proper improvements it will pay handsomely while you wait. Only a few years ago land on Essex Street sold for $2.25 a square foot and the same land has sold within twelve months for $5.25 a square foot.

This sale will take place on the premises, regardless of any conditions of the weather, on Thursday, the 5th day of November, 1903, commencing promptly at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Lot 1

The large, substantial, three story and basement brick building with gravel roof, and 4911 square feet of land, numbered 131 and 133 Methuen Street.

There are twenty-seven rooms, including the two large rooms used as the men's and women's wards; also four bath rooms, seven toilet rooms, laundry, storeroom, three pantries, passenger elevator, dumb waiter, six open fireplaces, large refrigerator built in, front and rear stairways, system of ventilation, remarkably large number of closets, hot and cold water all over the building, hard wood floors throughout, and the whole heated by a good steam plant. The lot has a frontage of 63 feet on Methuen Street, and the same on the passageway in the rear; also 78 feet on the 25-foot street on the westerly side. Every foot of the land is available for improvement.

Lot 2

2868 square feet of land between lots 1 and 3. It has the same frontage 36 feet, on street and passageway; is level up above the grade of the street with stone wall in front and rear.

Lot 3

The two story brick building with gravel roof, and 2868 square feet of land, numbered 125 Methuen Street. It has nine rooms including large play room and dormitories; also two bath rooms, laundry, pantries, and toilet rooms; has hot and cold water upstairs and down; closets, front and rear stairs and storerooms; and is heated throughout by a new steam plant. The lot has a frontage of 36 feet on Methuen Street and an equal frontage on the passageway in the rear. Every foot of this lot is available for improvement.

Terms: The purchaser of lot one must deposit with the Auctioneers $1500 just as soon as struck off; the purchaser of lot two $500 and on lot three $750, one half of the purchase money, and possibly two-thirds, on either lot, can remain on mortgage with interest at rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

The buildings will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on the day of sale, or before upon application at the Children's Home. Small plans of the estate may be had at the office of the Auctioneers, upon application by mail or otherwise; or at the Children's Home.

The Children's Home lot 3) will be sold subject to the right to occupy it, as now used not longer than May 1st next. The Ladies' Union Charitable Society agrees to pay the new owner fair and reasonable rent for the same until vacated by the society. The entire estate will be sold under the restriction that no part of the property shall be used for hospital purposes within twenty years from the date of sale.

WALTER E. PARKER,
Chairman Advisory Board.
CLARA F. PRESCOTT,
Treasurer, Ladies' Union Charitable Society.

C. F. KEYES, - - Auctioneer

Office, Old B. & M. Station, Green Street, Lowell, Mass.

Important Notice to People Looking for Fancy Horses

One of the best known horsemen in the state of Maine, Mr. A. R. Stafford, will arrive with 17 high-classed horses, and will make his headquarters with C. F. Keyes, Green street. This lot of horses will be offered at private sale only, and they will be shown to the satisfaction of intending purchasers. They will arrive in Lowell at 10 o'clock, Thursday. They consist of matched pairs, short and long tails, 3 excellent combination horses in the lot, 4 excellent single horses, 3 very fast high-going, single cobs; the pairs are all thoroughly broken single and double, and without a doubt, this is one of the most expensive loads of horses ever shipped to Lowell. The horses are of a good size and good colors, and they are thoroughly broken. Mr. Keyes thinks that this is an excellent opportunity for parties at home to get a nice horse or a pair, because they can have every opportunity to see the horses driven to all the city objects. We invite all parties who are interested in high-classed horses to call at the stables and see this lot of Mr. Stafford's.

Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, at 4 o'clock

FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, A 3½ STORY BUILDING AND ABOUT 5315 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 474, 476 AND 478 MERRIMACK STREET, CONTAINING TWO STORES AND STABLE ON GROUND FLOOR, AND ABOUT EIGHTEEN ROOMS.

Longing to rid myself of that care and responsibility which confronts one in handling property, and also being about to leave the city in January, I have pledged this property for absolute auction sale to whomsoever will bid the highest. It is a substantially well constructed building, of two stores, Nos. 474 and 478 Merrimack street, a stable in the rear, with concrete driveway to same, and eighteen very fine rooms which are at present rented to one person. The total rental received at the present time is about $1320 a year, but has rented for much more than this, and should do so today, with the proper attention.

It is seldom the opportunity is offered the investor, to purchase down town property at the public price, but here it is, on the business side of our main street, where thousands upon thousands pass daily, almost opposite the Memorial building, so situated as never to decrease in value, for the population in upper Merrimack street, has increased 20 per cent. in the last ten years, and is still growing. So, if you want to invest where you are sure not to fail, then this is your opportunity.

The lot contains about 5315 square feet of land with a frontage on Merrimack street of about 56 feet. There are passageways on both sides of the building, which gives you easy access to the rear.

TERMS: $1000 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of
ELIZABETH COSGROVE.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, THREE-STORY BLOCK OF TWO STORES AND FOUR TENEMENTS AT NOS. 218, 218½ AND 220 MIDDLESEX STREET.

Under no condition would I dispose of this parcel of real estate, for to me it is a fine paying property, but for reasons over which I have no control I must leave this part of the country for the west, so I am determined to sell, and feel that the best way to realize the most money is to put it up at public sale.

The property in question is a three-story building and about 2038 square feet of land situated on the southerly side of Middlesex street. There are two good stores and four tenements and pays at the present time about $972 a year, but with some slight alterations which I had under advisement this property should pay $1200 a year, for it is on one of the best business streets in our city, on a direct line to the railroad station, on the southerly side of the street where most of the travel is done, and is a property that is paying a fine percentage from the start on the price you will buy it for. The wise investor now-a-days centers his ideas on business property, for if any property shall increase in value it is that, so here we have it: well situated, good paying, in very fine repair, and sacrificed to you, who will get the full benefit of my unfortunate conditions, for I mean to make positive sale, if the purchaser complies with the terms.

TERMS: $600 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be read at sale.

GAGO K. ECHMALIAN.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 4 o'clock

TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 1050 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 30 AND 32 SOUTH STREET.

I wish to make a positive sale of this parcel of property, so I will advertise and sell to the person bidding the highest for it. I have not enjoyed the best of health the past few years and have been advised by a physician in order to regain my health, I must leave this climate, so that is my intention, and were it not the conditions, I would not think of selling it for it is paying me a very good revenue.

The house is a 2½ story building of two tenements and a store. The upstairs tenement contains five rooms, bath, hot and cold water and is a very neat tenement. The tenement in the rear has three rooms and the store in front is quite large and is well adapted for mostly any kind of business. It is situated on the easterly side of South street between Appleton and Middlesex streets, the last named street being one of our busiest thoroughfares. It is but a few minutes' walk to the several large industries north of Middlesex street, two minutes' walk to the postoffice and quite handy to all city wants. It will easily average $35 a month, and to one wishing a good sound investment, he should give this sale some consideration, for I must make positive sale on the day advertised.

TERMS: $300 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

SAMSON KAPRIALIAN.

Thursday, Nov. 5, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

NINE HEAD OF FINE JERSEY AND ASYHIRE COWS AT THE WELL-KNOWN PRATT HOMESTEAD, MIDDLESEX VILLAGE.

As it is our wish to close our stables by the first of December, for this reason we have instructed the auctioneer to advertise and sell on the premises, regardless of the weather, this fine lot of cattle. They have all been raised on the farm and are an extra fine lot.

Full descriptions will be given at the time of sale.

TERMS: Cash.

By order of
MRS. C. M. PRATT.

Saturday, Nov. 7, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

ON THE ABOVE DATE I WILL MAKE AN ABSOLUTE SALE OF MY COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 1643 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 49 JEWETT STREET.

My only reasons for so doing are, that I have recently purchased a place in the country where I intend to move, so in order to meet the obligations connected with same, the sale will be made positive, regardless of any condition of the weather. The house consists of eight well-lighted, airy rooms, it is piped for gas, has the best of sewerage, is well located on the street, right on the square at the pumping station, on a high elevation of the street and makes a cosy, neat little home. I am bound to sell for reasons which I have stated above, and the one who gets it will make a good buy. You're but a few minutes' walk to the electrics on Bridge street and in a very fine neighborhood.

TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off; other terms made known at time of sale.

D. J. SULLIVAN.

Saturday, Nov. 7, 1903, Commencing Promptly at 3 o'clock

HEIRS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE OF THE LATE WILLIAM MURPHY. FOURTEEN PARCELS OF PROPERTY, ON BOWDEN, COSGROVE, CHIPPEWA AND SARATOGA STREETS.

In order to settle the estate of the late William Murphy, I will offer the several parcels of real estate described in th efollowing:

First Parcel—Cottage house and about 3500 square feet of land at No. 65 Cosgrove street. It contains seven rooms of good size, it is well located, being clustered with many other small homes, and where the occupants of each are the respective owners, and they take pride in caring for and beautifying their surroundings, so in making a selection for a small home, you make not a mistake in this neighborhood. The lot contains about 3500 square feet with a frontage on Cosgrove street of about 35 feet and has fine yard room.

Second Parcel—Cottage house and about 3500 square feet of land at No. 69 Cosgrove street. This also has seven rooms, good yard room all fenced in and adjoins No. 65.

Third Parcel—Cottage house and about 4300 square feet of land, situated at the corner of Bowden and Chippewa streets, being No. 59 Bowden street. The house contains seven rooms, has good yard room, concrete walk on Bowden street, a frontage of about 45 feet on Bowden street and about 95 feet on Chippewa street and contains about 4300 square feet.

Fourth Parcel—Cottage house and about 7700 square feet of land at No. 56 Bowden street. This is also a seven room cottage. The lot has a frontage on Bowden street of about 81 feet and contains about 7700 square feet.

Fifth and Sixth Parcels are two lots of land situated on the northerly side of Bowden street and contain about 5000 sq. feet each with frontages of 50 feet each on the street, they are well adapted for building purposes, have good size and are high and dry.

Lots 7, 8 and 9 are three lots of land situated on the northerly side of Saratoga street, each containing about 4000 square feet with frontages on the street of about 42 feet. Lot No. 7 is a corner lot, and in fact, they all are good building sites.

Lots 10, 11 and 12 each contains about 4100 square feet with frontages of about 41 feet and are situated directly opposite lots 7, 8 and 9 on Saratoga street.

Lots 13 and 14 are two lots of land, each containing about 2¼ acres, situated to the south of Saratoga street and fronting on a 16½ foot passageway leading from Gorham street to the Thomas Egan place. They each have about 198 feet frontages on said passageway and are of very rich soil.

TERMS: $200 must be paid at time and place of sale on first, second, third and fourth parcels; the same must be done with $25 on 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12; and $50 on 13th and 14th. Other terms at sale.

JOHN W. McEVOY,
Attorney for all the Heirs.

Monday, Nov. 9, 1903, at 4 o'clock

THIS EXCELLENT PIECE OF REALTY, THREE STORES, SIX TENEMENTS AND ABOUT 6884 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 79 TO 87 BRANCH STREET AND 35 QUEEN STREET.

I have for a long time wanted to release myself from the care of real estate, and the time has come when I think my wish will be realized, for I will place on the market for public competition, at the premises, this fine paying block.

It is a three-story building of the best construction, the foundation is very heavy and substantial, bricked pillars being used instead of the ordinary postings. The cellars are all cemented and are all separated, with entrance to the yard in rear. There are three large stores, with large show windows, each store has its own furnace in basement for heating, they are well adapted for mostly any kind of business, they are situated in a largely inhabited part of the city and have every convenience of up-to-date stores.

The tenements are in flats, there are two of seven rooms and four of six rooms, they have all the modern conveniences, hot and cold water, electric bells, separate baths, gas lighting, and exceptionally well-constructed, wide piazzas in rear, for drying clothes, connected from top story to ground, there is also an ash-shute in rear from top story to a bricked pit on ground. It rents for about $1740 a year. The entire surface about the building is all concreted, also a fine driveway of the same material to rear of stores from Queen street. There are two entrances to the tenements on Branch street, the stair casings are wide and commodious, the flats entirely separate, and are modern and cheerful in every respect. It is well situated in an excellent neighborhood, where it can always command good rents, a double track electric service passing the door every few minutes, and on a corner where you will never be crowded to darkness.

The lot contains about 6884 square feet of land with a frontage on Branch street of about 55 feet.

This is without doubt a fine site to place an investment, and I feel the purchaser, whoever it may be, will feel greatly rewarded for attending the sale.

TERMS: $1000 must be deposited to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be made known at sale.

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SUN LATEST

FIVE O'CLOCK

"GRIEVOUS ERROR"

Senator Gorman Puts It Up to Roosevelt

Attacks Him for Forcing the Race Issue—He Believes That the President Has Made a Mistake—Big Meeting Held in Baltimore

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Oct. 31.—At a democratic mass meeting, held last night at the close of the campaign, speeches were made by Edwin Warfield, the candidate for governor, and a number of leading democrats, including U. S. Senator A. P. Gorman. An immense crowd was present, and the speaking was preceded by stereopticon views showing the association of white and negro delegates at the recent republican state convention.

The important address of the evening was that of Senator Gorman, who, in addition to his advocacy of the state ticket and his excoriation of the republicans, arraigned President Roosevelt for his interference in the political affairs of Maryland. He then continued:

"President Roosevelt is a man of fine attainments and of honest convictions. He is young in years, impulsive, ambitious, is a partisan and believes in his party. In his anxiety for its success he is liable to make mistakes and in my judgment he has committed a most grievous error in forcing to the front an issue which must be deplored by all the conservative men of the country.

"In every country where the race issue has arisen it has always carried in its wake lamentable results, and has been attended by evil consequences. I trust his earnestness and impetuosity may be restrained and that he may be prevailed upon to use wiser counsel in his treatment of the negro problem.

WHITE MEN'S BURDEN.

"From the day a cargo of Africans was landed and sold as slaves until this hour the burden of the white men of this country has been greater than that borne by any people known to history. It was one of the causes which led to a most gigantic war, destroying fair homes and impoverishing a gallant people.

"Immediately after the close of the war came the adoption of the 14th and 15th amendments, which enfranchised the blacks for party purposes alone, and thus injected into the body politic a people unprepared and unfitted for self-government.

"The Anglo-Saxon has never and will never tolerate the social equality or the political domination of the negro race. The south has passed through scenes of turbulence and disorder and rape and riot. By amendments to state constitutions and by legislation the whites have secured control, for the time being, of their own local governments, and the colored race is no longer a political factor in any state south of the Potomac.

CANKER ON BODY POLITIC.

"For more than 30 years this question has aroused sectional feeling and divided parties. It has threatened the peace of the states, put in jeopardy homes and paralyzed industrial efforts. All thoughtful men realize that this canker upon the body politic must be eliminated and the supremacy of white government assured.

"In 1896 William McKinley was elected president of the United States. During his service in congress he favored the most drastic legislation proposed by his party in their efforts to enforce the constitutional provisions. As president of the United States he realized the responsibilities of his exalted position. He began his term when the country was emerging from the throes of a great commercial panic. All the business interests of the north were depressed—the wheels of industry scarcely revolving.

"The south was struggling with its negro problem; its fields only half cultivated, its manufacturers at the lowest ebb, its mines and forests undeveloped. These conditions were principally due to the great pall that hung over that part of the country and made development and progress impossible.

REVERSION, AS IN 1892.

"Unless I mistake the temper of the people of this country there will be the same revolution in public sentiment and the same protest that was recorded in 1892 by the white people of the entire union against the administration of President Harrison for his attempt to force negro domination upon the south, and thus destroy that section of and paralyze the industries of the whole United States.

"We are told that the president has declared to Senator McComas in unequivocal language that the forthcoming election in Maryland was not a local event, but one of national importance. In other words, the election of Mr. Williams as governor of Maryland would be an indorsement of Mr. Roosevelt's administration.

"So this issue is forced upon us by the president. He has thrown the gage of battle and we must meet it as brave Marylanders. Our opponents in this state tell us we are in danger of being dominated by negroes; that the white outnumber the blacks. In one sense this is true, but in another it is a mere dodge."

FINN WINS

IN CASE AGAINST GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

The jury in the case of Finn vs. the Lowell Gas Light Co., returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $500 yesterday afternoon. Messrs. J. J. and W. A. Hogan appeared for the plaintiff while F. E. Dunbar was counsel for the defense.

SAXONY COUNCIL

WILL MAKE SPECIAL EXHIBIT AT ST. LOUIS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LEIPSIC, Saxony, Oct. 31. The city council has decided to make a special exhibit at the St. Louis exposition to emphasize the city's artistic and musical reputation.

A committee composed of leading architects, sculptors, musicians and others has been organized to take the matter in hand. The plan is to have a music hall in which the decoration and exhibits will portray Leipsic's musical history and development. Prof. Max Klinger, whose statue of Beethoven has been exhibited in a number of the largest German and Austrian art centers and has been pronounced the greatest piece of German sculpture for a century, will contribute busts of Wagner and Liszt. Another artist will send a bust of Schumann.

WALL STREET GOSSIP.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WALL STREET, 10.40 a. m.—The listless trading made opening prices in the stock market without material change from last night. Small fractional recessions were the rule.

POET
10¢ CIGAR
NOTHING BETTER

12 KILLED

Terrible Railroad Accident Near Indianapolis

By Associated Press to The Sun

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 31.—The Big Four train carrying the members of the football team of Purdue university from Lafayette, was wrecked near Riverside Park today at the edge of this city.

Several players are seriously and perhaps fatally hurt.

Twelve dead bodies have been removed from the wreck.

The team was scheduled to play with the Indiana state university this afternoon.

Besides the 12 dead bodies that have been recovered there are still others in the wreck. Some of the killed and injured are members of the team.

The list of dead thus far is as follows:

E. J. ROBERTSON, Indianapolis.
WALTER R. ROUCH, Pittsburg.
L. E. RUSH, Pittsburg.
R. J. HOWELL, Corpus Christi, Texas.
SAM SQUIR, Lafayette.
JOE KNAPP, Evansville.

The injured thus far are:
John Miller, both legs broken.
Dr. Bitting, seriously injured.

SMITH IS ALIVE

Lowell Man Had Been Recorded as Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 31—Through an error arising from a similarity of names, Melvin R. Smith of Lowell has been marked as dead in the catalogue of of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, of which institute he is an alumnus. Although his obituary had been filed away in the archives, it developed that M. Smith is living. The mistake arose through a newspaper report from Washington of the death there of a man of the same name who was said to have been a graduate of the Worcester school. Mr. Smith of Lowell had occasion to write to the institution and in looking over the lists of graduates the officials discovered that they had marked the word "dead" opposite his name. An investigation showed that the Lowell man was the only graduate of that name from the institute and that the man who died in Washington was probably a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

THREE KILLED BY TORNADO

By Associated Press to The Sun

OKLAHOMA CITY, I. T., OCT. 31.—A TORNADO LAST NIGHT DEMOLISHED MOST OF THE HOUSES AT HYDRO, NEAR HERE, KILLING THREE PERSONS AND FATALLY INJURING SEVERAL OTHERS.

HYDRO IS A TOWN OF ABOUT 100 INHABITANTS IN CADDO COUNTY, 37 MILES NORTHWEST FROM ANADARKO AND IS OFF THE RAILROAD.

SUPT. BEALS' MEN

Profit by the Unusual Weather

STREET AND SEWER DEPTS. RUSHING

Will Work Until Bad Weather Comes

The street and sewer departments are having a fine run of fall work during this weather and they hope the weather will continue auspicious until most of the work under way can be finished up. The sewer department will not attempt to finish the extension of the White street sewer in the bed of the Merrimack river this fall, but all other jobs now under way will be completed if the weather continues fine. The new Moody street sewer was finished this week and work is progressing rapidly on the Crawford and Howard street and Middlesex Park sewers.

On the street department end, the scales at Pawtucket square have been shifted to Riverside street and the square filled in and repaired. Varnum avenue is nearly finished, the polishing process only remaining to be done.

Work was begun this week on the extension of Christina street from the reservoir to First street, making another means of access to the hill.

Middlesex street in the vicinity of Middlesex Park has been cleaned up and repaved between the tracks where the sewer was laid.

A GENUINE METEOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OREGON CITY, Ore., Oct. 31.—F. W. Crosby, who is collecting specimens for the Smithsonian institute at Washington, is here to see the meteor reported a few days ago, and has pronounced it not only a genuine meteor, but the largest that has ever been found in the United States and the largest ever discovered in the world. It weighs between 10 and 20 tons. He says from appearances it may have been buried in the hill where it was found for many centuries.

WILL RESUME WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Oct. 31. Several hundred idle textile operatives will go to work on Monday next in this city and Winooski. The Burlington cotton mills which were shut down nearly five weeks ago for the purpose of allowing new machinery to be installed, will resume operations.

Mind your doctor. He says: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for coughs." J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

ALMSHOUSE POISONING

The Officials Still Unable to Explain the Mystery

The Whole Matter to be Thoroughly Investigated—The Theory of Criminal Intent Possible But Not Probable—Dr. Huntress Talks on Case

There are no new developments in the poisoning case at the state hospital in Tewksbury.

The committee appointed to investigate has not yet started in. Dr. Huntress said this morning that he would not be able to go to Tewksbury today and the committee will not be there.

Dr. Nichols has gone to Boston on business and the committee will inaugurate its investigation Monday morning. Relative to the report, as stated in The Sun, that a legislative committee would be appointed to investigate the poisoning case and the affairs at the hospital in general, Dr. Huntress said today that he did not believe there was any foundation to the report. If it was true, he said, either Dr. Nichols or the trustees would have received some official notification of it.

Thomas Smith, the nurse who had charge of the ward in which the poisoning occurred, is still on duty. Dr. Nichols says Smith will not be suspended or discharged unless crime or negligence is fastened upon him.

How did the poison get into the medicine?

Did it reach the medicine or was it in the water?

These two questions are very prominent in the investigation. Water from one of the pitchers was injected into a guinea pig for the purpose of ascertaining if it contained belladonna poison. It is understood that there was a little difference of opinion with the doctors as to its effect.

One doctor said he noticed a pronounced dilation of the pupils of the little animal's eyes, but the other doctor didn't notice it and the majority ruling it was decided that the water did not contain the poison.

Dr. Nichols places the utmost confidence in Smith. He has had charge of that ward for several months and the doctor says he is a faithful attendant.

The fact remains, however, that the poison reached eleven men of the fifty patients in that ward. They were the only patients in that ward for whom medicine had been prepared that night and the poison either got to the medicine or to the water.

The medicine and the water were on a tray in the medicine closet. There was belladonna in the same closet and while the sensationalist might paint a word picture of a murderous patient, itching to enjoy the death struggles of his fellowmen, creeping from his cot in the ward to the medicine chest and extracting therefrom the deadly poison, pour noiselessly into the medicines or the water, and as noiselessly creep back to bed, this theory is highly improbable. Its only recommendation is that it is possible. The nurses say that there is not an hour in the night but that at least twelve of the fifty patients are awake. If that is so it would be pretty hard for a man to leave his cot and distribute poison in eleven different medicines, even though insanity might aid to his cunning, without being detected.

Mr. Smith is positive that the medicine chest, or closet was locked. He was absent from the ward for several minutes at a time and if the closet was open during his absence it would open the possibility for a patient to do the trick. All of the patients were cross-questioned by the doctors Tuesday morning and they all professed innocence of the affair. Mr. Smith was examined and he too declared that he was not responsible and he couldn't throw the least bit of light on the attempt at murder. None of the patients were known to have a grievance and consequently, in the absence of a motive, there was no room for suspicion. It may be that Thomas Smith used the belladonna by mistake, but as the medicines were all different it could hardly happen that he would make the mistake all around.

The committee appointed to investigate has not yet done anything of any consequence. A few inquiries have been made, but the solution to the mystery is as far away as ever. Although the committee has taken the matter in hand the real inquiry will be made by Drs. Nichols and Drake. They will have to search for the motive and then for the criminal.

The committee is satisfied, as is Dr. Nichols, that it was not a mistake. If they can prove exclusive opportunity on the part of the nurse, Mr. Smith, it will be up to him to pull himself out of the hole.

This investigation will not be a whitewashed one. It will have to be thorough for the people interested in the case including the relatives of other inmates, are up in arms and the desire to have the matter sifted is universal.

The Sun has already stated that ugly stories are being told relative to the hospital management past and present. There may or may not be solid foundation to all the stories told, but they are in circulation and when anything of a serious nature, such as the poisoning case, occurs the stories are revived and the alleged blackness of the institution's past looms up in all its horrible detail. The Butler investigation is fresh in the minds of the people and it is well known that it is much harder to reform an institution than to reform a man.

In justice to Dr. Nichols it can be stated that those who have come in close contact with him hold him in high regard. They say he is a conscientious man, in love with his work. A woman who served as a nurse in the insane ward under Dr. Nichols was seen by The Sun reporter last evening. She said: "He is one of the most conscientious men that I ever met. While I will admit that it is possible for things to go amiss in the institution unbeknown to him, I am sure that he would not tolerate any wrong doing. He was very strict and as well fitted as a man could be for his position. I am sure that he will investigate this affair thoroughly and impartially."

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Notice to Contractors.—Sealed proposals for building a section of state highway about 500 feet in length in the Town of Ashland will be received by the Massachusetts Highway Commission at its office, 20 Pemberton square, Boston, Mass., until 12 m. on Thursday, November 5, 1903, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon blanks to be furnished by the commission.

A pamphlet containing the necessary information and blanks will be furnished on application, upon receipt of a deposit of $3.00, said amount to be returned if the person taking the pamphlet makes a bid for the work on the form provided in said pamphlet, or returns the pamphlet at or before the time of the opening of the bids.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of $250, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. E. McCLINTOCK,
HAROLD PARKER,
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Massachusetts Highway Commission.
Boston, Oct. 29, 1903.

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Lowell Orchestral Society

1903--Thirteenth Season--1904

The auction sale for the first choice of reserved seats will be held WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4, at 2.30 p. m. at Huntington hall, under the direction of Mr. E. B. Connal. Tickets giving two reserved seats for the six recitals cost $3.00 plus whatever premium may be bid. Persons unable to be present can leave their order for particular seats, stating the amount of premium they are willing to pay, if there should be any competition for those seats, at Austin's music store, at which place seats can be obtained without premium after the auction sale. As in the past, the proceeds of these recitals will be given to the several charities of Lowell.

The following attractive list of soloists has been engaged, subject to the engagements of the artists:

MRS. RUBY CUTTER SAVAGE, soprano; MR. PAUL SAVAGE, baritone, and MISS RUTH SAVAGE, pianist; all of New York.

MISS MAUD McCARTHY, violinist, of New York City.

MME. ROSA LINDE, contralto; MISS NELLY WRIGHT, soprano, of New York City.

HERR RUDOLPH KRASSET, solo 'cellist, the latest acquisition to the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

MR. FREDERICK MARTIN of Boston, bass cantatic.

The celebrated TEMPLE QUARTET of Boston and others to be announced later.

Desirable single seats to most of these recitals will be 50 and 75 cents. The first recital Sunday, Nov. 15.

A SALOON FIGHT

Man Killed His Best Friend

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—While engaged in political discussion early today, William Frazer stabbed and killed his best friend, Thomas Burrett in a Brooklyn saloon. Frazer surrendered and told the police he had not stabbed Barrett intentionally. He said the latter was opposing him and that he picked up a knife from the lunch counter and poked it into Barrett's side. He was overcome with remorse when his friend fell dying.

"FOUR HUNDRED"

Arraigned Before Chicago Woman's Club

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, of Los Angeles, Calif., has made a scathing arraignment of the "Four Hundred" class, in an address delivered before a local woman's club.

"The 'Smart Set' is nothing but an excrescence on real society," said Mrs. Burdette. She declared that no such aggregation could never be other than an insignificant factor in the life of a great nation.

"When asked to consider the society woman," said Mrs. Burdette, a "large proportion of the not over-thoughtful will immediately hang on the eye-line of their mental picture gallery the portrait of a chameleon-like creature that baffles recognition as she reflects the horse show, the ball room, the street, the banquet hall, the boudoir, the automobile, as a creature that is all things to all men and nothing to any man.

"She is a creature whose favorite companions of what is called the sterner sex are insipid and brainless creatures, who are called men only because they are not women. She is a woman whose whole life is one of questionable gaiety, who smokes at dinners with men and who drinks rather too much at times. The announcement of her engagement brings a smile with the uplifted eyebrow and her divorce suit is accepted as a matter of course."

FARMERS REFUSE

WILL NOT SEND THEIR MILK TO BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 21—The farmers of Warren who are members of the Warren branch of the New England Milk Producers Union, have decided to withhold 600 cans from the usual shipments to Boston on and after tomorrow. The action is due to the refusal of the farmers to accept an offer of 23½ cents a can as the winter price.

The farmers of North Brookfield and vicinity will meet tonight to take action on the matter.

WHALER'S CATCH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31—The steam whaler Jeanette and the whaling bark Gay Head, have just arrived in port. The Jeanette reports having captured four rightwhales which netted 2300 pounds of bone and 400 pounds of ivory.

The Gay Head brought in 500 barrels of sperm oil and three thousand pounds of bone, representing a catch of eight sperm and three rightwhales.

LONE MARINER HEARD FROM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 31 The Tilikumm, an Indian canoe converted into a yacht of four tons, which left Victoria to go around the world with a lone mariner, J. C. Voss, and which made the trip to Australia, has been reported in letters received from Voss dated at Tonu, New Hebrides, on Sept. 6. He is enroute to Thursday Island and to Africa, whence he will cruise to London.

THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

DOWIE'S FATHER Is Crushed by His Son's Attack

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31—A dispatch from Essex, Iowa, says: John Murray Dowie, crushed by the attack made upon him by his son, John Alexander Dowie, says:

"The statement that I am not the father of John Alexander Dowie is the greatest myth ever uttered by the mouth of man. It is scandalous that my son should repudiate me after I have done so much for him. He is my son and was born in lawful wedlock. No one can deny it. The records may be had at the Great Register offices, Princess street, Edinburgh, Scotland. I have always lived a quiet, peaceful, Christian life and it breaks my heart to have this trouble come toward the end."

Judge Dowie, who is respected by the whole community, lives here in his little cottage. The resemblance between John Murray Dowie and John Alexander Dowie is so close that the father has often been taken for the son. The old man is growing feeble and the recent trouble has aged him greatly.

LIEUT.-GOV. SPOKE At the French-Democratic Rally

J. H. GUILLET, ESQ.

Rousing Gathering of French-Americans at C. M. A. C. Hall Last Evening—M. J. Mahoney Among the Speakers

A rousing democratic rally with the largest crowd seen in the club house for a long time was held by the French American democrats of this city in L'Association Catholique hall, last evening at which the guest of honor and principal speaker was Hon. Adelard Archambeault of Woonsocket, R. I., lieutenant-governor of the state. French-Americans regardless of party turned out to do honor to their distinguished compatriot and in the large audience were noted many prominent French-Americans. A familiar figure conspicuous by his absence was J. L. Chalifoux, who only a few days ago made an eloquent democratic speech in Birmingham, Ala., where he is visiting his Southern business establishment.

A short street parade escorting Lieut.-Gov. Archambeault to the hall was held prior to the rally, the National band furnishing music, and upon arrival at the hall a brief reception was held in the drawing room of the clubhouse.

At 8.30 the speakers and vice-presidents filed upstairs and took seats on the platform, headed by Joseph Dextra, the "old war horse" of the French democracy. The others on the platform with Lieut.-Gov. Archambeault were J. H. Guillet, Esq., who presided; ex-Rep. Amedee Chouiner of Lawrence; Pierre H. Authier, Esq., of Webster; Alderman Joseph O. Authier of Cambridge, candidate for county treasurer; J. B. D. Jacques, Esq., of Salem, formerly of Lowell; Rep. Michael J. Mahoney, candidate for state senator; John J. McMannon, candidate for representative in the 25th district; John J. Pinder, candidate for representative in the 26th district; George E. Ward, candidate for representative in the 26th district; Purchasing Agent Rourke; Elisee H. Choquette; John T. Hendricks, candidate for representative in the 25th district; Robert F. Conroy, candidate for representative in the 26th district; Dr. Adelard Payette; Adelard Landry, and Ernest Bernard.

The speaking for the most part was in French and that it was eloquent is indeed by the frequent and general applause.

Mr. Joseph Dextra, who was the leading spirit in organizing the rally and a democratic worker for years back, called the meeting to order and made a strong appeal for a big French vote on election day. If the French people would see their interests preserved he said, they must shake off their apathy and get all out at the polls. He also spoke on the benefits of naturalization.

J. H. Guillet, who was introduced as the presiding officer, made a brief but fine speech on the democratic party as the party of the men who toil for a living. He pictured the fact that the best interests of the working people lie between with the interests of the democratic party, the party of the masses.

He then introduced J. B. D. Jacques and afterward Mr. Authier of Webster, both of whom spoke briefly in French urging their hearers to vote for the candidates of the people as found in the democratic ranks.

When the chairman introduced Michael J. Mahoney the audience gave the latter a royal welcome, the applause lasting several minutes. Mr. Mahoney spoke briefly in English, he thanked the French voters of ward six especially for the fine support they had accorded him in his contests for the legislature and asked the support of all the French-Americans on next Tuesday.

Robert F. Conroy was then introduced and he received a generous round of applause. Mr. Conroy pledged himself to work for better labor legislation if elected and the audience showed its appreciation of his sentiments in its applause.

John J. Pinder was warmly welcomed and he spoke briefly in English.

LIEUT. GOV. ARCHAMBEAULT.

Chairman Guillet then recalled the successful record of the French people in Rhode Island, who have representatives not only in the municipal positions and in the legislature, but can boast of one of their ranks in the second position in the gift of the state. The mention of Lieut. Gov. Archambeault's name was the signal for great applause, followed by a rousing cheers and a tiger. The lieutenant-governor in the beginning made a humorous reference to the republicans present, too hardened sinners, he said, to be converted even if the grace which works miracles existed in politics, which it does not.

He then quoted Napoleon's statement that a country is prosperous not only when it produced great quantities of things, but when those things were within the reach of the people. In this country with its vast resources and easy means of transportation we find everything so excessive that even beef is beyond the means of the poor working man. This condition of affairs is due solely to the democratic policy of the republican party. The speaker placed the responsibility with the trusts and then exposed the trust system in the Hanna and Cortelyou campaign book. He deprecated such a policy which placed burdens upon the small dealers and working class. The democratic party would not be predatory, yet pled to the extent of its ability for the small in the interest of the good.

The speaker then had upon the question of reciprocity with Canada in an interesting manner. The democratic party, he said, appreciative of the fact that Canada is the third best market, ranking after England and Germany as a field for Americans, saw the wisdom of keeping Canada on reciprocal terms with this country. But the republican party is maintaining a policy of exclusion with Canada and if this is continued Canada out of patience will rise up and pay back the United States in its own coin and a great market will be lost to this country. The spirit of paying the United States back by a Canadian exclusive policy is daily growing among the leading statesmen of Canada. Only the trust policy of the republican party prevents reciprocity with Canada becoming a fact.

In conclusion, the speaker expressed the hope that Massachusetts, as well as Rhode Island, would this year witness the victory of democratic principles.

Joseph O. Authier of Cambridge was the final speaker and the rally closed with cheers for Gaston, Archambeault and the entire democratic ticket.

Lieut. Gov. Archambeault was the guest over night of Lawyer and Mrs. Guillet at their home in Wentworth avenue. He will be the guest at dinner today of Dr. and Mrs. Payette, Dr. Payette being a former classmate of his at L'Assumption college, and both likewise having been born in the same parish, St. Paul L'Ermite, Que. He will return to Woonsocket this afternoon.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column.

LIQUOR DEALER Held Responsible for Deed of Drunken Man

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 31—Judge Frank A. Milliken, in the Third District court here yesterday, established the somewhat startling proposition that a runseller who sells liquor to a man who later stabs a fellow-loafer in the saloon is just as much amenable to the law for the action as the man who did the stabbing, and so he ordered Edward L. Killigrew, the keeper of the saloon; Pierce L. Blake, the man who was stabbed, and John P. Cunningham, the man who first started a row with the stabber, arrested.

Last Wednesday morning William H. Payne was one of several loafers in the saloon of Killigrew Bros., on Acushnet avenue, and got into an altercation with John P. Cunningham, both being the worse for liquor. Payne whipped out a pocket knife, whereupon Pierce J. Blake and the bartender interfered to hold Payne, who promptly assaulted Blake and plunged the knife into both of his shoulders. Payne was arrested and yesterday was tried in court. Killigrew, Blake and Cunningham were government witnesses and were thunderstruck when they found themselves beside Payne in the dock.

The court had heard all the evidence and arguments, and then ordered the three men arrested, and delivered himself substantially as follows: "I have no difficulty in fixing the blame in affairs like this one. The attendant results of these three men was a violation of the terms of a liquor license of a saloon kept by one Killigrew, where these men went, stayed, got drunk and created a disturbance. It is plain by the terms of the license, which provides that liquor shall not be sold to one who is known to be a drunkard, to an intoxicated person or to one who has been drunk within the space of six months, and that there shall be no disorder in the licensed saloon. Mr. Clerk, you may issue a complaint against one Killigrew for keeping a liquor nuisance." Then Judge Milliken had the criminal records of Payne, Blake and Cunningham looked into.

Judge Milliken continued: "Now I will proceed to the disposition of these cases. The primary cause of the trouble, as I have said, was in allowing Payne, Cunningham and Blake to come in and get drunk and create a disturbance and all three of these men with criminal records. All are to blame. Their drunkenness is no excuse for their commission of offense."

Payne, whose arrest brought all the parties into court, was then adjudged guilty, and he was let off with a fine of $25. Mr. Killigrew pleaded not guilty to the charge of keeping a common liquor nuisance and requested a continuance, which was granted and the defendant released upon his personal recognizance of $200. Both Blake and Cunningham pleaded guilty to the charge of disturbing the peace upon their arraignment. Judge Milliken considered that Cunningham was less at fault and fined him $10 and fined Blake $15. Both appealed.

JENNIE YEAMANS

HAS FILED A PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Jennie Yeamans, the actress, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the U. S. district court, setting forth liabilities of $5762 and assets of $150, representing her wardrobe. The principal creditors are Annie Yeamans, $3000; hotel Vendome, board, $800; Quincy house, Boston, board, $124; John Daniels, Sons, $800; Mrs. C. L. Rich, board $300; Dr. Elmer E. Williams, $100; Dr. Alfred E. Cram, $27; Dr. H. R. Pettingell, $81; Herman L. Roth, attorney, $110; House, Grossman & Vorhaus, lawyers, $250.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1903.

22—Jason Fuller, 69, apoplexy.
23—John J. Wheeler, 15, pulm. oedema.
Margaret Morris, 23, bronchitis.
Mary E. Estabrook, 23, cyclitis acuta.
Margaret Creegan, 10 mos., meningitis.
24—Mary F. Rogerson, 1, diphtheria.
25—David G. Wilson, 45, bronchitis.
Mathew Johnston, 79, cirrhosis of liver.
26—David Taylor, 79, heart disease.
27—John McCarthy, 25, peritonitis.
Bertha M. Hartley, 23, endocarditis.
28—Irene A. Hoole, 7 days, spina bifida.
Harriet Fahey, 61, gastro enteritis.
Marie Y. Bourassa, 2 mos., bronchitis.
William Sullivan, 2 mos., bronchitis.
29—James Roemson, 1 day, debility.
28—William F. Grady, 23, lobar pneu.
29—Ellen Dolan, 3 mos., eczema.
William C. Dolan, 1 mo., marasmus.
30—Frank Acres, 2 weeks, premature.
Harriet Leslie Leslie, 51, pulmonary.
29—Wilhelmina Connor, 65, nephritis.
John F. Parker, 57, suicide by gas.

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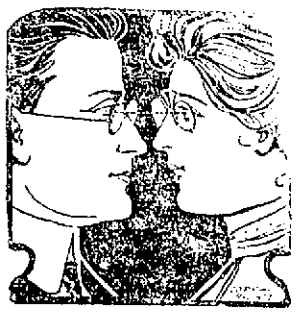

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ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Al Reeves' Beauty Show opened a two nights' and matinee engagement at the Academy of Music last night. This show was scheduled to arrive in time to open the house on Thursday night, but owing to a long jump from Ottawa it was impossible to arrive here before yesterday. Many of the patrons of the house were disappointed at seeing the house dark on Thursday night, but when they attended the performance last night they were well paid for their wait, for the Reeves' show is without doubt one of the best burlesque shows ever seen in the city. It includes an evenly balanced company of artists, a chorus of exceptionally fine singers, handsome costumes, beautiful scenery and grand electrical and mechanical effects, which go to make it the peer burlesque organization.

The performance opens up with an original skit in one act entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon." The scene is laid in an opium den and while highly entertaining gives a very good description of life in the Chinese quarters and the effects of hitting the pipe. Fun of every description during the performance of the skit and the jokes and funny situations of the comedians keep the audience convulsed with laughter. During the progress of the first part many new dances and songs are introduced by the chorus and many changes in costumes made. Among the songs sung are "A Chinese Fairy," "Pretty Little Dinah Jones," "Cindy," "Roly Poly Sun."

The olio is a good one and well balanced. Van Der Kor, the only rival of Hermann and Kelar, gave many clever and interesting slight of hand performances, keeping the audience in a mystery all during his act. Amy Lewis and Company presenting the character creation entitled "The Tout," kept the audience convulsed in laughter, race horse slang being thrown around at will. It was received with vociferous applause by the audience.

Katherine Dahl, the highest salaried prima donna ever engaged in burlesque, rendered several solos in a manner which brought forth round after round of applause and the solo introducing the vested choir was by far the prettiest scene ever presented at the Academy. Little need be said of the Tossing Austins, for these two clever jugglers are well known to the public. They are stars of the first water and it is sufficient to say that their act last night was just as good as ever, if not a little better. Last, but by no means least, was the old-time favorite, Al Reeves, who played his banjo, sang songs, recited and dealt out conversation in such a manner that he received grand applause.

The performance closed with the original burlesque entitled "A Merry-Go-Round." Many new songs were introduced and clever dances. Performances will be given this afternoon and evening at the Academy of Music and those who did not see the performance last night should not miss tonight's.

CITY COUNCIL

WILL MEET ON ELECTION NIGHT.

The city council will meet next Tuesday evening but as that date will be the evening of election day with returns pouring in, it is not likely that any business will be transacted.

Philip Hale
Writes the Musical Criticisms in the
Boston Sunday Herald
Next Sunday:
Richard Henry Stoddard will contribute a story on The Heart of Hamlet, incidental to the life of Edwin Booth.
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EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK

WELL ATTENDED

Second Night of the Hallowe'en Festival

The second night of the Halloween Festival in aid of the Lowell Humane society was largely attended last night and many new faces were seen in the audience.

The grand success which was predicted before the affair started is being carried out to the letter and the attendances during the afternoons and evenings have been very large.

The stage performance last night was under the auspices of the Hallowe'en table and talent was furnished by the Casto theatre, and Miss Ida Marie Rogers, a Lowell young lady, who is at home in this city for a few days.

Jackson hall was the scene of a Hallowe'en picnic, with Mrs. Albert Pinder in general charge. The hall was dressel with evergreen trees so as to resemble a grove and the effect was a novel one. Fortune tellers were there to reveal the past, present and future and a hurdy-gurdy which was kept in motion almost continuously by the operator, made things lively. Those who cared to dance did so for there was no hindrance.

For visitors, who had a desire for confectionery, there were candy tables and the hungry ones were served in a room leading off the main hall. Everyone with a dime for admission was welcome and the corps of ladies in charge tried to make it an object that the patrons received more than their money's worth.

The Hallowe'en Festival closes tonight. This afternoon will be Children's Day. Patrolman John Dennett, who is one of the officers at the door, thinks this is going to be one of the greatest features of the whole affair. His countenance bore the smile that won't come off when he was speaking of Children's Day.

Prof. C. H. Wilson will give a sleight of hand performance and there will be fancy dances by Miss Josephine Ockington's pupils. General dancing to Hibbard's orchestra will follow.

At 5 o'clock Jackson hall will be the centre of attraction for it is there that supper will be served.

HELD RECITALS

PUPILS OF J. W. HILL ENTERTAIN FRIENDS.

The fifth recital by advanced pupils of James W. Hill was held at Middlesex hall last evening and was a grand success.

Mr. Hill opened the program with Greig's Sonata in E minor, Op. 7. Allegro—Adagio—Minuetto. The remaining numbers were by the three young students, and were as follows:

Murmuring Zephyrs.....Jensen-Niemann
Ah de Ballet.....Chambade
Mr. Charles G. Howarth.
Fantasie in G minor.....Godard
Allegro-Finale.
Miss Peabody.
Polish Song .....Chopin Liszt
Cantique d' Amour.....Liszt
Miss Little.
Tone Poem -In Olden Time.....Hofmann
Waltz in D flat.....Moskowski
Mr. Howarth.
Rhapsodie No. 6.....Liszt
Miss Peabody.
Grande Polonaise in E flat.....Chopin
Miss Little.

SPINDLE CITY WHEELMEN.

The Spindle City Wheelmen opened their social season last night by conducting a dancing party in Prescott hall. The bikers showed their friends that they were just as much at home dancing as they were in kicking the pedals. Kittredge's singing orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and an order of sixteen numbers was carried out.

The party was under the management of the following officers: General manager, P. R. Monahan; assistant manager, Oswald O'Heir; floor director, George E. Grady; assistant floor director, A. Bolton; chief aid, C. C. Tinker; aids, A. G. Foster, C. P. Foster, H. H. Farr, A. Duncan, C. Halstead, P. Kingsbury, P. Nilley, V. Farrington, L. Mason, A. Hoyle, H. S. Royer, W. Dunne, H. Hamblett, R. J. Young; reception committee, Jack Everson, chairman; Fred Rourke, F. Baily, T. Brown, J. Boyers, W. Ireson, E. Soule, R. W. Eastman, Dr. Murphy.

JUMPED TRACK

Accident on the Electric Road at Billerica

One of the large vestibule electric cars on the Lexington & Boston line jumped the track as it was entering the subway under the railroad track in Billerica, about one mile from the centre this morning.

Though a number of passengers were on the car at the time, no one was hurt. The car was running slowly at the time.

As the car went off on a down grade it was very difficult to replace it on the rails and in order not to delay traffic the superintendent of the Lexington & Boston road telephoned word into this city to see if the Boston & Northern railroad would allow their motormen to run a mile beyond the centre until the derailed car was placed on the rails.

The local road agreed to allow their men to run on the Lexington line, provided that the starter at the centre would pilot the cars over the line between the centre and where the accident occurred.

NO QUORUM

COMMITTEE ON EXPLOSIVES FAILED TO GO OFF.

The committee on explosives did not meet yesterday, as was intended, as a quorum failed to put in an appearance at the appointed hour.

ESTIMATES ASKED

FOR BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE IN CENTRALVILLE.

The committee on education of the city council at its meeting last evening discussed briefly the building of the new grammar school in Centralville and after a brief consultation it was voted to instruct the chairman to secure estimates from the superintendent of public buildings on the cost of an eight, twelve and sixteen room brick building suitable for grammar school purposes.

The meeting was attended by the chairman, Alderman Gallagher, and Alderman Miskella and Councilman Brown.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

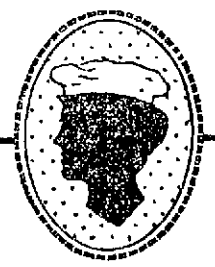
LADIES' AUXILIARY HAD DANCE LAST EVENING.

The St. John's Ladies' Temperance Auxiliary of North Chelmsford held their first Hallowe'en party in the town hall, last evening, and a large attendance enjoyed it. Griffiths orchestra furnished music for dancing and the fun was kept up until midnight. Quite a number of Lowell people were present and they went home on a special electric car.

The officers were as follows: General manager, Miss Loretta J. O'Neil; assistant, Miss Sadie A. Leahey; floor director, Miss Minnie McManmon; assistant, Miss Clara J. McCoy; chief aid, Miss Mary Curry; aids, Misses Rose Connolly, Alice Riley, Nellie Ward, Katie Curry, Ida Murphy, Della Green, Hannah Cummings, Mary Curran, Maggie O'Connell, Alice K. McEnaney. Reception committee, Miss Rosanna McManomin, chairman; Misses Katie Coughlin, Mary O'Connell, Mary Cox, Maggie Curran, Ella Stanley, Rosella Monahan, Alice G. Leahey, Mary McGrath, Lizzie Cox, Mary McCluskey, Josephine E. McCabe, Frances McEnaney.

YOUNG SOLDIER ENLISTS.

Sergeant John S. Scott, a veteran of the Philippines and at the present time first sergeant of Co. M, 9th regiment of this city, is receiving congratulations and good wishes from his friends and comrades on the birth of a young soldier who arrived Wednesday night at his home 143 Branch street.



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It is *not* cheap.

ON HALLOWE'EN

He looks in the mirror for his lady fair but sees instead his Nemesis.

HE WANTED WOOD

OLD MAN THOUGHT CITY WAS STILL IN THE BUSINESS.

An old man called at the office of Purchasing Agent Rourke this noon and placing one dollar on the counter, asked to have a load of wood sent to his address.

When informed that the purchasing agency was not in the wood business, this year, he seemed surprised and said: "I'm pretty sure this is the place where the poor people got their wood for $1 a load."

He was then informed that such had been the case last year, but as no wood famine existed this year the city had gone out of the wood business and he went away apparently disappointed.

PERSONALS

Frances Mitchell, formerly of the local high school, now a student at Norwich Military university, is in Lowell for a week's visit.

A party of friends of Mrs. Theodore Lussier gathered at her home, 86 School street, last night, the occasion being the observance of Hallowe'en.

Lieut. James Brosnan entertained his friends at his new home in High street, near Fort Hill park, Thursday evening and the hours were very pleasantly passed until morning. Mayor Howe was present part of the evening. The lieutenant was the recipient of substantial tokens that will remind him of the housewarming for many years to come.

Mr. Samuel Lawley, superintendent in the Boott mill, has resigned his position there to become superintendent of a mill in Louisville, Ky. Mr. Lawley saw thirty years of service in the Boott mills, working his way from the beginner's position to that of superintendent, holding all the time the love and respect of his fellow workers and the confidence of his employers.

Inspector Charles Lallamme has been called to Canada to settle a dispute relative to the boundary line of an Indian reservation on the St. Lawrence river. Charlie's great grandfather, it seems, owned tracts of land surrounding the reservation and the local inspector is in possession of the deeds and plans. He was summoned to Canada by the king's counsel at Ottawa.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's ticket agency to sail from New York today on the White Star line steamer Arabic for London, England: Mr. John L. Vasselin, Alfred Toms, John Toms, Francis Benest, Clarence Benest, Thomas Conlon and Thomas McCann. On the Dominion line steamer Cambroman, from Boston, Mrs. Eliza Linehan and Mr. James Curley. Also from New York for New Orleans on the Southern Pacific steamer Proteus last Wednesday: Mrs. E. Ray and Miss Jennie Bennett. For Havana, Cuba, on the Munson line steamer from New York, Mr. George Turner.

THE RICHARDSON HOUSE.

The Richardson House, opposite the Middlesex street station, has passed into the hands of Thomas Hoban, proprietor of the Lowell Inn. It is understood that all papers will be signed and passed over today. The price paid for the property was $60,000.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

JOHN MITCHELL

Reported to be Seriously Ill at His Hotel

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 31.—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, is reported to be quite ill at his hotel in this city and has broken several local engagements.

It is probable that he will be compelled to postpone his visit to New York and remain here several days on account of his weakened condition.

It is said that indications of appendicitis are pronounced. Consultations have been held by two physicians, but they have been unable to agree as to whether or not it will be necessary to operate upon the labor leader.

BUCK IS DEAD

FUGITIVE BANK OFFICIAL SAID TO BE A SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 31.—The county attorney yesterday received a telegram from San Antonio announcing the suicide of a man thought to be Alfred A. Buck, the fugitive ex-cashier of the Mapleton bank, but a later dispatch threw some doubt on the correctness of the identification. It is said that Buck was seen in Seattle, Wash., less than a week ago.

Buck's embezzlement and flight was the cause of the closing of the bank of Mapleton.

POSTAL INVESTIGATION

INSPECTORS AT WORK IN NEW YORK OFFICE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Inspectors who are now investigating the general postoffice in this city are looking into the general management of the service, it is said, and do not expect to unearth any irregularities. Those engaged in the work have already spent considerable time going over data gathered in the investigation last winter and it is understood that the object is to escape information which will enable the department to make regulations to prevent any irregularities heretofore in that branch of the government service.

THE 25TH DISTRICT

A WORD IN BEHALF OF THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

The candidates in the 25th district are proceeding along quiet lines and there is every indication that the republicans will bump into a big surprise when the votes in that district have been counted.

Mr. McManmon came within 25 votes of election last year and is confident of winning this year. He has many assurances of success.

John T. Hendricks, another staunch nominee in this district, is a well-known member of the A. O. H., the Foresters, the Emmet club, and many other organizations. He has a strong backing and would make a good representative in the general court. He is employed in the health department and is quite popular among his associates.

Ex-Councilman Roarke, the third candidate in this district, has a strong claim on the voters of ward seven in having helped to put through the order for the Aiken street extension.

The voters should send all three to the legislature.

HOME AGAIN

JAMES P. WALSH RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL.

James P. Walsh, who for the past two weeks has been confined to a bed in the Carney hospital, Boston, as the result of a fall from a 60-foot staging, was discharged from the hospital yesterday and taken to his home, 161 Coburn street, this city.

Mr. Walsh's leg is encased in a plaster paris cast, while his shoulder is harnessed, but with the aid of his friends and a pair of crutches he got along all right. It will be some time before he can get around again, but he is on the mend and feels better at home.

THE MOSELY COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—After five days' visit to Boston and its vicinity, the members of the Mosely educational commission of England, numbering about 30, left here today for the west, most of them for Chicago. Alfred Mosely, chairman of the commission, probably will return to England in about three weeks together with the majority of the commissioners.

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"GRAFT" INQUIRY

An Organized Traffic in Girls

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The "graft" investigation has resulted in every saloon in the city closing promptly at midnight. The committee yesterday called on the police to turn in the names of all the property owners who rent houses for immoral purposes.

The committee has positive and direct evidence of money having been paid to the police for protecting vice of all kinds. Those who lure young girls to lives of shame have aroused the wrath of members of the committee. One of the affidavits read to the committee horrified the listeners.

A member of the committee related that it told in detail of an organized traffic in which girls hardly more than children were deceived into following procurers, and when once in their power were held as prisoners until they bowed to their fate. The condition afterward was one of practical slavery.

"I have lived in Chicago a long time," said Alderman Hermann, "but I never knew there was such depravity here. I don't believe Paris or London can equal some of the instances of which we have heard. The difficulty we face is in supplying the link necessary to prove the crimes in such a way as to send the criminals to Joliet."

STATE CHARITIES

MASSACHUSETTS STATE CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES.

The first Massachusetts state conference of charities will be held in Boston, Nov. 4, 5 and 6. The president, Carroll D. Wright, will open the conference at Huntington hall on Wednesday evening. After addresses of welcome by Lieut.-Gov. Curtis Guild, Jr., and Mayor Collins, the general subject, "Co-operation for the Public Good," will be discussed by Dr. Edward T. Devine of New York, Gen. Bridges, warden of the Charlestown state prison and Dr. Philip S. Moxom. A reception will be held at the close of the meeting in the Hotel Brunswick. At the successive sessions on Thursday and Friday the general subjects, "The Separation of Children from Parents," "Tramps," "The Relation of the Placing-out Work of an Institution to its Other Works," and "The Care of Needy Families in Their Homes," will be discussed by leading workers in the various philanthropic organizations of this state and elsewhere. Rev. George C. Wright, of Lowell, is one of the speakers announced. The day meetings will be held at the Young Men's Christian association hall and the evening meetings at Huntington hall. Institute of Technology. On Thursday afternoon the Boston almshouse and hospital will be visited by invitation, and on Friday evening another reception will be given. The headquarters of the conference will be at Hotel Brunswick, Boylston street, where detailed programs may be secured. All interested in charity are asked to consider themselves delegates and attend the sessions. There is no membership fee.

RIVERVIEW CLUB

HELD SMOKE TALK AT DEWEY GROVE.

The members of the Riverview Athletic club held a smoke talk at Dewey Grove last evening at which a large gathering enjoyed the program offered. In addition to a musical and literary program there were several bouts. Tom Flaherty and Kid Connelly went a four round bout to a draw. Charles Armstrong (Hagley) of this city and Kid Conway of Fall River went for six rounds, Armstrong getting the decision. The main bout of the evening was between Jockey Brady of Lowell and Kid Landry of Lawrence, who boxed for eight rounds. Brady was awarded the decision. The judges were Martin Flaherty, Maffatt Flaherty of Boston and James Bradley of Lawrence.

PASSACONAWAY TRIBE R. M.

A well attended meeting of Passaconaway Tribe of Red Men was held last night and the committee on the anniversary and banquet reported progress. The great chiefs will be present at this affair. Great Sachem William A. Flouton has appointed Past Sachem Alvine G. Weeks of Sippican tribe, of Fall River, as deputy great sachem of Passaconaway tribe. He has also appointed Past Sachem Edward T. Goward of Passaconaway tribe as deputy great sachem of Wannalancit tribe of Lawrence.

Under the good of the order songs were given by Bros. C. H. Kittredge, C. C. Dursthoff and Fred Santum; accompanist, John Howarth; readings by Bros. D. G. Hurd and G. W. Fraser; remarks by O. A. Libby and E. T. Goward.

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George White & Son, late of the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine Co., wish to announce to their friends and the public in general that they are now selling the White Sewing Machines at the above address.

STILL UNCONSCIOUS

PROF. MOMMSEN HAD AN APOPLECTIC STROKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 31.—Prof. Mommsen, the historian, who suffered a severe apoplectic stroke, still lingers, unconscious. His bed has been moved to his airy workroom adjoining the library because it is one of the largest rooms in the house and farthest from the bedroom of his wife, who is near death from dropsy.

Her illness during recent weeks severely affected the professor's general health. She had borne him twelve children and their modest, drab, stuccoed house is scarcely large enough to contain their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, who are gathering today to see the patriarch once more in life.

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"Yes, how do you like it?"

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SWAN BUILDING

NEARING END

"Sam" Parks May Know His Fate Tonight

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—In all probability, Samuel B. Parks, the walking delegate who is on trial before Judge Newburger, charged with the extortion of $500 from the Tiffany studios corporation, will know tonight whether another conviction shall be recorded against him. The accused entered the court room today looking fresher than on any day since this trial began last Monday. His ordeal on the stand yesterday evidently had the effect of making him more composed as he showed none of the nervousness and uneasiness which he exhibited yesterday in a marked degree.

After Judge Newburger had disposed of some minor cases, the Parks case was resumed and Mr. Osborne arose and said:

"The defense rests."

This caused a good deal of surprise, Parks was called to the stand by Assistant District Attorney Rand, who asked the accused if on yesterday he had said "I refused to take a check from Schmitt because our treasurer had some difficulty in cashing the Hecla checks," meaning another transaction which occurred some time previous to the Tiffany incident.

Parks thought for a few seconds, before he answered this question, but finally said: "No, I did not say that. I said we had some trouble in getting cash for the Hecla check."

Mr. Osborne then tried to get Parks to say that he had given the $500 which he received from Schmitt of the Tiffany company, to Treasurer Johnson of the housesmiths and bridgemen's union, No. 2, but the court balked him. He succeeded, however, in getting Parks to let the jurymen hear that the accused had not taken a cent of the money for himself and had not demanded it for his own benefit. As soon as Parks had got in this remark, he was excused as a witness and walked back to his seat beside his counsel.

David Frazee, factory superintendent of the Tiffany studios, was then recalled for redirect examination by the prosecution. The witness testified that all through the conversation held between Parks and himself and between Parks and Schmitt, when the witness was present, Parks used the pronoun "I" and not "We" when talking of the "fine" being imposed and in violation to whom the money was to be paid.

Louis Schmitt, who testified to having paid the $500 to Parks, was then recalled, but he was not so positive that Parks had not used the pronoun "We" in his conversation leading up to the payment of the fine. As soon as Schmitt left the stand, Mr. Rand announced that the people rested.

Before beginning his adress to the jury, Mr. Osborne made several formal motions for the acquittal of the prisoner, one of which was that the facts brought out in the case did not constitute a crime but all of the motions were denied and the defense was granted an exception in every case.

In beginning his address, Mr. Osborn said: "I approach this case in a festive spirit. I really treat the case against Samuel Parks as a jest. If Samuel Parks was X or Z or any other than Samuel Parks, there would not be any attention paid to this case. Everything is directed at Samuel Parks and I will show you that he is not guilty of the charge of extortion on which he is being tried here."

GRACE SKELTON

Released After Charges Were Heard

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30—Dr. Grace E. Skelton, the young woman physican of this city, who was arested upon complaint of L. N. King, a former Harvard tutor, that she had mailed him improper postal cards and letters, was discharged by U. S. Commissioner Fiske today.

The action was taken upon the recommendation of U. S. District Attorney John H. Casey.

When Dr. Skelton was arrested, she informed the district attorney that King had persecuted her and that she had written to him because he had not treated her fairly. The woman's story was such that Mr. Casey decided to hear King's side of the case before proceeding to prosecution. At an informal hearing, before Mr. Casey today, both King and Dr. Skelton were examined. The party then adjourned to the court room. Mr. Casey told the commissioner that he had gone over the testimony and that the defendant had promised not to offend again. The district attorney was of the opinion, from his knowledge of the case, that it was in the interest of public morals and decency that the case should proceed no further. He therefore moved that the case be dismissed, which was done.

BAIL FORFEITED

"TIM" McCARTHY FAILED TO APPEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—"Tim" McCarthy, who, together with Sam Parks, is under two indictments for extortion, failed to appear before Judge Foster today and his bail of $2,000, furnished by John J. Byrne, Devery's nephew, was declared forfeited. A warrant for his arrest was issued.

DUCHESS OF ROXBURGHE

WILL SAIL FOR AMERICA ON SATURDAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30—The duchess of Roxburghe, the mother of the duke of Roxburghe, and her daughter, Lady Isabel Innes-Ker, sail for New York from Liverpool tomorrow on the Cunard line steamer Campania to attend the wedding of the duke and Miss May Goelet. Extraordinary interest is taken in the event on the East Lothian and Roxburgheshire estates. Preparations are on foot for great festivities to mak the arrival of the bride and bridegroom at Floors castle, the duke's seat, at Roxburgheshire in December.

The Cumpania will also take Clifford Sifton, the agent for Great Britain and other Canadians of the Alaska boundary commission.

SCHOONER BURNED

CAPTAIN AND MATE HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PARRSBORO, N. S., Oct. 30.—Capt. Knowlton and the mate of the schooner Wellman Hall had a narrow escape here today when the schooner was burned to the water's edge, both men being on board when the fire started. The Hall was of 16 tons and was loaded with lumber. She was owned by Capt. Knowlton of this place.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 30.—Hoslal H. Brant, 70 years of age, and an inmate of the state almshouse in this city, committed suicide late last night by jumping from a window, while his mind was temporarily deranged.

FOR CONSPIRACY

Capt. Lotkijevitch is Under Arrest

By Associated Press to The Sun

BELGRADE, Servia, Oct. 30.—Capt. Lotkijevitch, the former aide-de-camp of the late King Alexander, who was arrested September 29 last and later sentenced to a month's imprisonment for having engaged in a conspiracy against the murderers of King Alexander and Queen Draga, has been rearrested. He was captured in the laundry room of the fort here.

The arrest of General Magdelenics, formerly a supporter of the late king Milan of Servia and now on the retired list and other officers is imminent.

The general did not participate in the counter-plot but he has openly condemned the regicides.

It is understood that a new plot has been discovered against the murderers of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

COTTON CROP

MAY NOT EQUAL THAT OF LAST YEAR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—This year's cotton crop is estimated to be no larger than, if it equals, that of last year, which was 10,725,000 bales, according to a special report to be issued tomorrow by Bradstreets.

Although the general concensus of opinion is that the crop will be smaller than a year ago, it is pointed out that the higher price ruling, the advance on last year being 1 to 1½ cents, make the crop potently as valuable in a money way as a year ago.

VALUABLES LOST

STEAMERS COLLIDED IN A DENSE FOG.

By Associated Press to The Sun

YOKOHAMA, Japan, Oct. 30.—It was ascertained today that 45 persons of 103 who were on board the steamer Tokai Maru were drowned as the result of the sinking of that vessel yesterday after having been in collision with the Russian steamer Progress off Hakodate, Japan. The engineer of the Tokai Maru succumbed after having been picked up by the Progress. The mails and all the valuables of the sunken vessel were lost. The accident occurred at 4 a. m., six miles from Hakodate. The Tokai Maru which was a vessel of 1100 tons, was approaching Hakodate when she collided in a dense fog with the Progress, of 870 tons, bound from Hakodate for Vladivostock. The Tokai Maru sank immediately. After rescuing all the persons possible, the Progress returned to Hakodate. She was severely damaged. The Russian consul is drawing up a statement of the case for the court of inquiry.

The Yusen Kaisha company's steamer Jinsen Maru has gone to the scene of the disaster with divers to search for the bodies of the persons who were drowned.

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FROM YESTERDAY'S LATE EDITIONS

GRAVE CHARGES

Made Against the State Almshouse Administration

Pranks of the Medical Students Actually Barbarous — Women Farmed Out and Paid for at $3 a Week by the State

It may not be that human hides are being tanned in the state hospital at Tewksbury as was alleged in Benjamin F. Butler's order for an investigation of that institution several years ago, but according to a sentiment that extends far beyond the confines of the town of Tewksbury, the institution today would profit by a thorough investigation and a moral cleansing.

The poisoning, accidental or otherwise, of eleven men at the state hospital did not surprise those who claim to be familiar with the workings of the institution.

Speaking of the poisoning episode, a Tewksbury man said today: "If all we hear of the general run of affairs at the hospital is true the poisoning of eleven men is but another rung in the ladder of peculiar events peculiar to the place.

"It matters not what the hospital doctors say or what Dr. Irish of Lowell says relative to the death of Fitzgerald, the public will think, and are justified in thinking, that his death was hastened by the administration of a poisonous drug. It calls for an investigation; not one of those whitewash rubovers made by persons interested in and attached to the institution but by a committee appointed by the governor of the state. I don't know but that such a procedure would be a little out of the ordinary but it should be investigated, from top to bottom."

Apropos to the sentiment expressed by the Tewksbury man the reporter learned that the relatives of the victim who was poisoned and died have already asked for an investigation by some other committee than the one appointed at Bridgewater, yesterday.

Incorporated into their petition, which is said to have been sent to the governor, is the statement that the hospital authorities, by their own say so, knew that Fitzgerald was dying and that they refused to call in a priest although he asked several times that the chaplain be sent for. When the priest did arrive Fitzgerald was dead. Fitzgerald's relatives, it is stated, have communicated with the priest whose duty it is to give to the dying Catholics at the hospital the last rites and comforts of their church.

When the chaplain, Rev. Fr. Sirois, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate, arrived at the hospital and found that Fitzgerald was dead, he upbraided the doctor in charge.

"Why was it," he asked, "that I was not called in sooner?"

"I came myself but a few minutes ago," replied the doctor.

"That is no excuse," continued the priest," there were attendants here all the time and they knew the man was dying. You don't appreciate how great an injustice it was to him not to have summoned me earlier."

SHAMEFUL STORIES.

Stories that go to blacken the character of the institution are as thick as hops. It is a fact that the institution is never without young men with medical aspirations and the statement has been made that they have the wildest of wild college youth discounted when it comes to raising ructions.

If the stories told are true, the institution is not without scenes of drunken hilarity and that Seeley dinner scenes are not strangers within the walls within which are confined the insane, the immoral and the vicious. One story told is to the effect that two young men, the sponsor for the story called them medical students, made tours of several wards in the institution in their starked nakedness and in plain view of the nurses and other attendants.

A Sun reporter asked Dr. Nichols if that was true and he replied that it was not.

"Are all of the irregularities of the institution reported to you?" asked the reporter

"Yes, I suppose they are, that is all of any consequence."

"Two naked men making a tour of the wards would be serious enough to report, wouldn't it?"

"Of course it would, but I know it never happened."

KICKED A PATIENT.

Another story has it that an ugly attendant kicked a cringing patient and so wounded him that his life was made a burden to him and that in the course of a few months death released him from his earthly sufferings.

The reporter asked Dr. Nichols if there was any truth in that story and the Dr. answered "No," very emphatically. These are but mild samples of the stories that are afloat concerning the institution, and if they are true there is a lack of discipline and an immoral abandon foul enough to blacken a whole page in the state's history.

Dr. Nichols appears to be a sincere man, and it was the opinion of his interrogator that he spoke the truth when he said he had not heard of any such actions as heretofore mentioned, but it is needless to state that if the frisky students were on a spree, drunk and disorderly, they would cling to sense enough to keep away from the superintendent.

DR. NICHOLS RETICENT.

Dr. Nichols was very reticent when spoken to by The Sun representative this forenoon. He said that he had told The Associated Press reporter all he had to say about the poisoning. "I have nothing new to tell," he added.

"It happens," said The Sun reporter, "that I am also representing The Associated Press."

"I have nothing new to tell," said the doctor a little impatiently. The investigating committee has taken the matter out of my hands and you will have to get your news from the committee."

"'Tis a fact that you were misquoted in the morning papers, relative to what you said about Fitzgerald and the poison."

"Just what do you mean?"

"The paper quotes you as saying that Fitzgerald did not take any of the poison. Did you say that?"

"No, I didn't say that and I want to have it corrected."

"Then Fitzgerald did take some of the poison?"

"Yes he did, but it did not cause his death."

"Do you think it hastened it?"

"I don't think so."

"In what ward was Fitzgerald and the rest of the men who were poisoned?"

"Now you see," adroitly remarked the doctor, "that takes us back to the details of the case and I have already said that the committee would have to do the talking."

"Was he in the insane ward?"

"No he was not?"

"Were the same attendants in the ward as on other nights?"

"Yes."

"Can you give me the name of the head attendant in the ward that night?"

"There you go again. That is detail and will have to see the committee."

"Has the committee begun its investigation?"

"No, but I believe it will start in this afternoon."

"Is it a fact that you have no theory whatever as to the poisoning?"

"Absolutely none. There is no one in the institution that I would suspect of such a thing."

OTHER SERIOUS CHARGES.

Apart from the poisoning and other irregularities reported at the institution, there exists a something that the good people of Tewksbury have a deal to say about.

It seems that several insane patients, not violent, are boarding with and incidentally working for some of the top notch families. The townspeople do not object to their neighbors entertaining daffy boarders, but they do object to the boarders working from morning till night while those who harbor them receive $3 a week from the state for each and every one of the inmates that they house and board.

"In some instances," said a farmer whom the Sun reporter interrupted while at work in the field, "the boarders do all the housework and help do the outside work. Pretty good scheme to get all you're work done and get $3 a week for boarding the woman who does it."

PLEASANT BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A pleasant birthday party was held yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Kerwin, 66 Hudson street, in honor of their daughter, Gertrude, who celebrated her 14th birthday. Supper was served by Misses Donohoe and Wilmore. During the evening an entertaining program was carried out, including a solo by Loretta Donohoe and songs and dances by Lena Sheehan and Mary Kerwin, also a dance by Emma Wilmore and a song by Lawrence Cummings.

Ice cream and cake were served to the young people present, and the little hostess was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents. Games were enjoyed and the party broke up at a seasonable hour.

LOWELL SHRINERS

THE GUESTS OF THEIR NORTHERN BRETHREN LAST NIGHT.

The Shriners of Vermont and New Hampshire held a meeting and banquet at the Junction house, White River junction, last evening, and among the guests were Dr. Waller and Fred M. Beede of this city.

WAS IN LOWELL

Krikorian Came Here to Collect Funds

The Sagouni assassination in London is daily assuming more local interest. In the first place the fact that the assassin purchased a hat in this city was enough to make the affair interesting from a local standpoint, but the arrest of Vahen Krikorian as being implicated in the assassination makes the affair even more interesting from a local standpoint, as there is little doubt that the man who was arersted in Boston yesterday has been in this city and is well known here. From the present state of affairs it looks as though the whole plot was conceived and carried out by Armenians who either resided here or were well acquainted in this part of the state.

A representative of The Sun in an interview with Ohanes Krikorian, a barber at 310 Middlesex street, found that the man who was arrested in Boston yesterday is without doubt a man who has been around Lowell considerably. Mr. Krikorian in conversation with the reporter said:

"I am quite confident that I know the man who was arrested in Boston yesterday and he preached at the Young Men's Christian association about a year ago this time or probably a little over a year. I saw him, but did not bother going to the lecture because my views did not coincide with his.

"He was trying to raise funds for the freeing of the Armenians and from what I understand he was of a very jealous and spiteful nature. There are three of our societies in Armenia which have branches in this country. They are like the democratic, republican and other political parties in this country, but at home they are known as societies. Sagouni, who was also collecting funds in this country, belonged to one of these parties while Krikorian belonged to another and Sagouni had met with a good deal of success in raising funds while Krikorian did not. I am pretty sure that the society to which Krikorian belonged found that the opposition society was getting all the money and they decided to put a stop to it."

The Sun representative visited a well-known Armenian who resides in Corbett place, off Winter street, and that man in answer to questions asked by the reporter said that he believed that the Krikorian arrested in Boston had his headquarters in Lawrence and that he came to Lowell on several occasions for the purpose of collecting funds.

An Armenian answering the description of the man arrested in Boston called at The Sun office a little over a year ago with an announcement of a meeting to be held in this city, the proceeds of which were to go towards freeing the Armenians. His name was Krikorian and he spoke in a very laudible manner of what good the society he represented was doing for the Armenians and spoke in a very emphatic manner against the other societies that were raising funds for the purpose of aiding the Armenians.

WRONG BOTTLE

Howard Got Mouthful of Poison

Martin Howard, residing in Carpet lane and employed in the carpet mills, met with a painful accident at an early hour this morning.

Mr. Howard had a bottle of tonic in his room and a bottle containing potash rested near it. When he went to take a drink of the tonic in the dark this morning he took the wrong bottle. Fortunately he discovered his mistake before he had swallowed any of the stuff and spat it out, but his tongue swelled up to twice its natural size.

A BRUSH FIRE

THE BLAZE WAS STARTED BY BOYS.

An alarm from box 238 shortly before two o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the local fire department to a lively brush fire on the land alongside the Boston & Maine railroad at the foot of Bowden street. The fire was undoubtedly started by boys, but was discovered in time and when the department arrived the fire was speedily put under control.

ROBBED HIS FATHER

YOUNG GREEK ARRESTED BY OFFICER MAGUIRE.

Hennis Bonites, a young Greek, aged 18 years, was arrested this afternoon by Officer Maguire on the complaint of the boy's father, who alleges that while he was at work in the Boott mill the boy took $20 from his trunk.

SNOWING SOME

FIFTEEN INCHES IN STOWE, VT., THIS WEEK.

Fred M. Beede of this city, who has just returned from a northern trip, reports that there were 15 inches of snow and the sleighing in Stowe, Vt., when he was there a few days ago.

John G. Jackson, for many years in charge of the linen department for A. G. Pollard & Co., and later with Shepard & Norwell of Boston, has accepted the position of head of the linen department for the O'Donnell & Gilbride company, this city, where he will be pleased to meet his old patrons and friends.

STRANGE STORY

Told by Insane Asylum Inmate

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Oct. 30—Governor Garvin was approached late yesterday afternoon by a middle aged man giving the name of Albert Howard Slock, of Dorchester, Mass., who claimed to have escaped from an insane asylum in Medford, and who said he was trying to get to Canada.

The man asked the governor for his protection and also that an examination be made into his case. He then disappeared. According to Slock's story he had been confined for 30 years in the insane hospital and that he had been placed there by some enemy of his.

STEWART ARRESTED

SENATE PRESIDENT IS CHARGED WITH FRAUD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORT AUPRINCE, Hayti, Oct. 30.—M. Stewart, president of the senate, who is charged with having participated in the division of the issue of $200,000 fraudulent Haytien securities, early in the year, has been arrested. Senators Canvin and Malebranche, against whom the same charge is made, have fled from Port au Prince.

MORGAN IN CHICAGO.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30. J. Pierpont Morgan arrived in Chicago today and was met at the depot by R. R. Govin, one of the receivers of the Union Traction company, and Alfred Skitt, whom report has connected with the leadership of the new company that is planned to take over all traction properties of the city.

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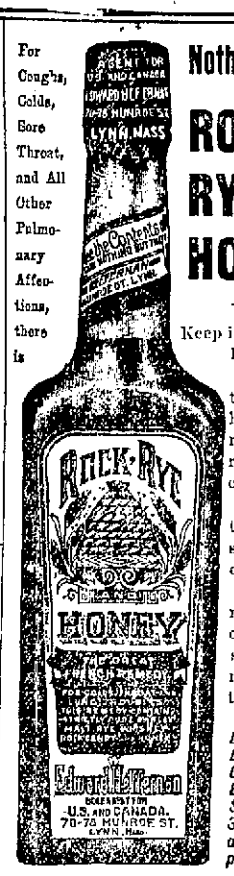

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KRIKORIAN HELD

Charged With Being Fugitive From Justice

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 30—Anticipating the arraignment of Vahien Krikorian, the Armenian arrested yesterday upon his arrival from England on suspicion of having been implicated in the murder last Tuesday of Sagatel Sagouni, the Armenian revolutionary leader, at London, a number of Armenians assembled at the Federal building to attend the proceedings. The arraignment, however, was delayed owing to the occupation of U. S. Commissioner Fisk with other cases.

Krikorian spent the night at the Charles street jail, to which he was taken shortly after his arrest by the United States deputy marshal.

Peter Kureghian, editor of Young Armenia, and Peter Kazaromas of Boston, today volunteered information to the Boston police that they know the Armenian arrested in the steamer Ivernia, last night. Kureghian is the man who was murderously attacked in this city last July. These men, the police say, stated that Krikorian is the head of a London central committee of Armenians, and Kureghian claimed also, according to the police, that he ordered the murder of Kureghian and attempted personally to assassinate him when the latter was in London, where he edited a paper.

The exact charge upon which Krikorian was arrested yesterday and held until today was that he is a fugitive from justice in England. Although no specific charge declaring him to be connected with the Sagouni murder was lodged against him, United States officials hold him on suspicion of implication in the London assassination.

C. A. P. Talbot, the British consul at Boston, stated today that he had telegraphed to the British embassy at Washington for instructions in the case and when these instructions are received it is probable that Consul Talbot will ask the United States commissioner to hold Krikorian upon some complaint more immediately revelant to the killing of Sagouni.

Shortly before 2 o'clock Krikorian was arraigned before Commissioner Fisk on the charge of political murder and also on the charge that he is a fugitive from justice from England. When the warrant was read the defendant, who speaks almost perfect English, declared that he was guilty of no murder. He was then asked by the commissioner to say whether he was guilty or not guilty. Thereupon Krikorian pleaded not guilty. Commissioner Fiske then ordered the man committed to the Charles street jail until Monday, when an examination will be made.

According to the rule in such cases no bail was allowed.

Editor Kureghian and Peter Kazaromas were ready to testify in the case, but they were informed they would not be needed until Monday. A little later Krikorian was returned to jail. Under the terms of the treaty between England and the United States the authorities of this country do not prosecute in such cases unless such prosecution is asked for by the English authorities. It is expected that the British consul will be ready to proceed on Monday.

KIRKORIAN A PREACHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30—At the headquarters of the Armenians at Peckham, a suburb of this city, it is believed that Vahian Krikorian, (who was arrested at Boston yesterday on the arrival there of the Cunard line steamer Ivernia, upon advices received from Scotland Yard, charging him with having been implicated in the conspiracy which resulted in the assassination Monday night of Sagatel Sagouni, president of the American Revolutionary society, is probably identical with the Armenian of that name who, with two others, named Shahriman and Arsonian, seceded three months ago and set up a rival society, at Clapham, a suburb of London, where the Alfarists assembled. These three men are said to have disappeared in August and it was thought they had gone to Cyprus. Krikorian, who was formerly an American Protestant preacheer, is reported to have been hostile to Sagouni since the split in the socety in 1902.

Other members of the Hintchakist society identify the man arrested at Boston as Verham Krikorian. They say he is a welll known member of the Alfarist, or Physical Force faction.

COTTON MARKET

Showed Great Excitement and Anxiety

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—Great activity and excitement developed in the cotton market this morning. Prices opened a little under the finals of last night owing to lower Liverpool cables than expected and realizing, but before the decline had extended more than a few points further the market was rallied very sharply by the recelpt of the weather forecast for the western belt, which predicted snows for tonight and tomorrow in the territories, with cold weather over the entire western belt. Before the end of the first hour prices were 10 to 18 points net higher on active covering and aggressive bull support.

CHAIRMAN MACRAE

RAILROAD MAN DISCUSSED ALASKAN AWARD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Chairman MacRae, at a meeting today of the stockholders of the White Pass & Yukon railroad, alluded to the Alaska boundary award. He said that while he regretted the decision which placed 20 miles of their railroad under the jurisdiction of the American flag it was in reality more a matter of sentiment than business. The reciprocal bonding arrangements between Canada and the United States would continue. Both countries would suffer equally and enormously by disturbance of the arrangement and it was more in harmony with the enlightened spirit of civilization to extend than to curtail them.

Mr. MacRae further declared that the suggestions for all Canadian or all American roads to the Yukon would be impossible of realization for a long time to come.

TRUCE DECLARED

MILK DEALERS WILL ADVANCE THE PRICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

UXBRIDGE, Mass., Oct. 30—The milk dealers of Uxbridge have declared a truce in the internal war which has been waged for the past four or five years and the price of milk will be advanced from five cents to six cents on November 1.

Last winter a compromise was reached and a similar advance was made, but the schedule was broken in the early spring and the price dropped. It is also claimed that six cents will be the minimum price in the future as the differences among the dealers have now been adjusted.

THE STEEL TRUST

WILL NOT MAKE CUT IN PRICES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30.—The following statement was made today by an official of the United States Steel corporation, outlining the company's policy as to prices for products and wages of employes:

"There will be no cut in prices. Rates will be maintained. As for the matter of wages, that has not been considered save in an informal way. At any rate, no changes of this kind are likely before the new year. The matters now under discussion by the heads of the subsidiary companies are almost all together of a routine character, though considerable thought is being given to economy of operations."

COTTON IS HIGH

The South Expects a Good Trade.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—Special telegrams from correspondents of the International Mercantile Agency throughout the United States and Canada, regarding the state of trade, are summarized as follows:

The between-seasons period is beginning to show its influence on the movement of general merchandise. Relatively the most favorable reports come from Chicago, Pittsburg and New York. Baltimore reports the outlook from the south for a good trade owing to the high price for cotton. There has been a gain at Pittsburg, where more mills are expected to start up. Country orders are a fair average for the season at Chicago, but there is less disposition to branch out and a hesitancy in some lines. Dry goods and clothing are moving slowly at St. Louis. At Boston the disposition is towards conservatism. At Philadelphia the volume of trade is about equal to that of last year, but affected by labor conditions is beginning to slacken. St. Paul and Minneapolis advise that interior merchants are restricting purchases somewhat. The Minneapolis flour output is becoming normal again.

Traffic on eastern railroads has declined this week, car shortage has been noticeable, interior jobbers generally are buying less than last year and cotton exports are increasing encouragingly, but mercantile collections have fallen away in regions tributary to Philadelphia and St. Paul. Shipments of funds west on crop and bank accounts have made loans at New York firmer and tend to hold down security prices.

Good weather has prevailed throughout the grain regions, but winter wheat, which is all sown, could stand some rain.

The outlook is for a good demand for wheat for export. Estimates of the cotton crop tend higher than recently.

A feature in industrial lines is the sale of ten thousand tons of southern pig iron from export to Manchester at $10 or less a ton at the furnace and a Pittsburg sale of steel rails for delivery in Corea. Many large industrial concerns report an average decline in orders of 25 per cent. from this time last year; new orders come in hesitatingly. Some 55,000 employes have been laid off or have struck this week. Closed iron mines in northern Michigan have reacted upon jobbers in the northwest.

GENERAL STRIKE

ANARCHISTS ARE TRYING TO FOMENT ONE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BARCELONA, Spain, Oct. 30—The anarchists here are endeavoring to foment a general strike, in sympathy with the strike at Bilbao. The captain general has hurriedly left Barcelona for Madrid. Already large numbers of people are out of work in consequence of the shutting down to many local factories.

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DUG UP A BODY

Police Found One in Pine Box

THE AFFAIR IS SHROUDED IN MYETERY

Body Is In Mummified Condition

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30—Seven feet below the surface in a gravel pit, Fifty-sixth street and South Park avenue, the body of a man wrapped in carpet and placed inside a pine box has been unearthed by the police.

The condition of the body indicates that it was at one time in the hands of medical men, but the police see a mystery in the case.

When found the body was stretched in the box with hands folded across the chest. It was in a mummified condition and evidently had been exposed a long time after death. In the bottom of the box a rusty sword with the point broken off was found.

CHICKAMAUGA PARK

GENERAL BOYNTON PRESENTS ENCOURAGING REPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 30.—In his report of the Chickamauga Park commission, General Boynton says that since the park has been designated as national manoeuvre ground, 390 additional acres of ground have been acquired, a part of which has been chosen a permanent cavalry post. The arrangement of the post has not interfered with the marking of the additional tract.

The general also says: "It is also a matter of satisfaction to the commission that for another year the practical use of the park by the government has continued by maintaining the field camp of the Seventh cavalry within its limits. In view of the wild reports of the unhealthfulness of the park, which gained currency during the war with Spain, it is proper to say that the health of the soldiers camped there and of the park force and its laborers has continued exceptionally good. The water throughout the park has proved excellent and an abundant supply has been secured for the encampments and the new post from flowing wells."

WAS NOT POISONED

AUTOPSY ON THE BODY OF MILLIONAIRE SEXTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.—In order to dispell doubts that had arisen regarding the true nature of the illness which caused the death of P. J. Sexton, millionaire contractor, on Wednesday, an autopsy has been held at the residence in Michigan avenue.

Vague rumors had been floating about during the time subsequent to Mr. Sexton's death to the effect that arsenical poisoning was indicated in the patient's symptoms and in the appearance of the body after death.

Neithe the widow or the sons, two of whom surlvive, placed any credence in the rumors, but to set them at rest they arranged for a post-mortem examination.

Its result was to make clear the cause of death as deterioration of the spinal cord, attended by neurasthenia and anaemia.

The quickness with which the collapse came finally is thought to have given rise to the baseless poison rumors.

HISTORIAN MOMMSEN DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 30.—Prof. Mommsen, the historian who was born in 1817, has suffered a severe apopletic stroke. He is unconscious, his left side is paralyzed, and there is little hope for his recovery.

ROOT SAILS TODAY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 30.—Secretary Root and Mrs. Root left London this morning for Liverpool to board the White Star line steamer Celtic, which sails for New York today. They were bid farewell at the railroad station by Ambassador Choate and other friends.

WILL CARRY $2,000,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30.—The transport Sheridan sailing tomorrow for Honolulu, Guam and Manila, will carry $2,000,000 in silver and gold in her treasure room. She has a full list of passengers in addition to the enlisted men of the 22d infantry.

LYING IN STATE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 30.- Tribute to the memory of Mrs. Emma Booth-Tucker, the Salvation Army leader, was paid by thousands of her friends in Chicago today. At 11 o'clock the body was taken to Princess Rink, on West Madison street, and will lie in state until tonight when memorial service will be held.

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GRAND LARCENY

Is Charged Against a Promoter

A WEALTHY BROKER IS THE COMPLAINANT

Says He Was Fleeced Out of $40

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 30—John B. Conger, a promoter, who, until three months ago, occupied an office uptown, where he was known as president and general manager of the National Carbonate Engine company, has been arrested on a charge of grand larceny. William H. Reynolds, a wealthy broker, asserts that Conger obtained from him $40 by false pretence and it is alleged by others that the promoter had induced Cornelius Vanderbilt and others to invest in the concern of which he was the head to the extent of $40,000. Mr. Reynolds sworn out the warrant on which Conger was arrested after he and a lawyer had laid the case before District Attorney Jerome for investigation.

Conger is said by the complainants to have come from Buffalo about a year and a half ago. He had, so he declared, a patent on a carbon engine especially adapted to use on railroads, which he maintained would save 75 per cent. of the present cost of fuel. About three months ago, Reynolds alleges, Conger procured from him a loan of $40 by telling the following story:

"My aunt, Mrs. Upham, is expected home in a few days. She and I are joint trustees of the estate of her husband, who was president of the First National bank of St. Paul, Minn. A box of securities has been shipped from St. Paul by express to a trust company of this city and there is $40 express charges due. I am temporarily short of funds, but will return the loan in a few days. I am to receive $800 worth of the securities in the box, but it cannot be opened except in the presence of my aunt and myself."

Reynolds says he loaned the money and upon investigation later found there was no such box of securities as Conger described and that the express company had not forwarded the box to Conger.

SANTRY PUT OUT

THE END CAME IN THE THIRTEENTH ROUND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ANACONDA, Mont., Oct. 30—Aurelio Herrera, the lightweight Mexican pugilist, last night knocked out Eddy Santry of Chicago in the 13th round of what was to have been a 20-round fight. Santry had all the best of the fight up to the last round, breaking through the Mexican's peculiar guard as no other fighter has yet been able to do. Santry forced the fighting throughout and was plainly Herrera's superior in science but failed to deliver a knockout and while he mixed it fiercely in the 13th round, received a terrific short-arm jolt behind the ear and went down and out.

BECHTEL BROTHERS

DENY ALL KNOWLEDGE OF THE MURDER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Oct. 30.—Chas. and John Bechtel, who were taken into custody after the coroner's inquest into the death of Mabel Bechtel, their sister, were not informed of the suicide of their brother Thomas until today. They denied emphatically that the girl was killed in her own home on Sunday night and declared she was not at home that night. When informed that Tom Bechtel had committed suicide Charles said:

"I guess he was troubled too much; he worried because he could not go to the funeral."

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of John Brooks, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Frederick Brooks, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the third day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this fifteenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A fur cape between Broadway and Salem streets. Finder please return to Mrs. Connor, 83 Salem street.

LOST—In September, pair of eyeglasses with case marked Charles T. Saul, between Hosford square and postoffice or Westford street car. Please leave at Sun office.

LOST—Black and tan hound, nine months old. Liberal reward at Farragut house. Charles H. Bent.

FOUND—A small sum of money in Pollard's store Monday, Oct. 19. Owner can have by calling at 506 Lawrence St.

LOST—A string of gold beads between Beacon and Merrimack streets or between Merrimack street and the Highlands. Finder receive reward at 31 Hildreth building.

FOUND—Beaded side bag on Market street. Owner may have by proving property and paying for adv. at Sun office.

LOST—Gray horse blanket somewhere between Davis square and Lakeview avenue; reward, 130 Adams street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

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BOSTON & MAINE R. R.

Corrected to October 12, 1903. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.22, x6.42, *7.45, *8.50, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.14 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.30, x6.45, w6.50, 7.01, *7.24, 7.31, *7.48, w*8.00, *8.57, w8.25, *9.50, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, x3.03, w*3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, w*6.15, *6.22, w7.00, 7.29, w9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.24, w8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.05, w4.05, 4.25, w5.30, 5.58, w8.00 p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, w2.30, w3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.25, wq11.25 p. m. Sundays, w8.18 a. m.; w12.05, w5.30 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, n2.30, n2.55, w5.06, 6.28 p. m.

For Haverhill, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, w3.55, w5.06, 6.15, 7.00, 9.25, q11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.05, 5.30 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Lewiston, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m.

For Skowhegan, 8.30 a. m.

For Bangor, Belfast and Rockland, 6.28, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland.) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport, Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland,) Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

Last trip of season Oct. 30, 1903.

For Woburn, 6.28, 7.01, *7.48, 11.05 a. m.; 1.44, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 4.25, 5.58 p. m.

For Ayer Junction, Stations on W. N. & P. and Fitchburg divisions, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Stations on W. N. & P. division, Nashua to Portland, Me., 9.03 a. m.; (3.40 p. m. to Rochester only.)

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.39, 9.03, 9.39, *10.39, a. m.; *12.09, 1.01, *1.33, 3.40, *5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, *8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.39, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *1.29 (to Franklin only.) 6.40, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.) Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m.

For Stations on White Mt. Division, 9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 1.39 p. m. (5.39 p. m. to Plymouth); *b9.10, 9.24 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville, via Wells River, *10.39 a. m.; *1.33, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m.; *12.09, *b9.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air line, *10.39 a. m.; *1.9.10 p. m.

QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *10.39 a. m.; *9.10 p. m. (daily except Saturdays.

References:

aVia Wakefield Junction.

*Express. bDaily.

qWednesdays and Saturdays only.

wVia Western Division.

xVia Bedford. zVia Wilmington Junc.

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WANTED—Several good second-hand show cases. P. F. Devine, 58 Merrimack street.

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WANTED—At once, girl to do light housework. Call 44 Bartlett street.

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DRESSMAKER WANTED; apply at once, J. A. Montplaisir, room 7, Old City hall building.

WANTED—Table girl at 98 John street.

GREATEST MONEY-MAKER KNOWN—1000 per cent. on investment; no speculation, no risk; straight business. Energetic promoter wanted to form state company. Electric Advertising Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

WANTED

WANTED—Two large gas radiators; new or second hand. Inquire S. G. C., 27 State street.

FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS—We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

BOARDERS WANTED at 207 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Penley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

TO LET

TO LET—Tenement of five rooms; rent reasonable. Apply 4 Everett street.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city at all prices; we have several that will make extra warm, sunny homes for the winter. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 663 Merrimack street.

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TO LET—Nice cottage house of 6 rooms; newly painted and papered; corner Exeter and Dalton streets, Centralville. Inquire at Union Printing Co., 67 Middle street, between 12 and 1 o'clock.

TO LET—New tenements of 5 to 7 rooms each; bath, pantry, etc.; if you want a new tenement and don't like to move now on account of your coal in cellar, I will move your furniture, piano and coal free of charge. S. Lagasse, 835 Hildreth street, Centralville.

TO LET—Just what you want; front room, furnished, steam heat, bath. 26 West 6th street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 411 Broadway.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—Furnished front room, use of bath, $1 a week. 555 Middlesex street, side door.

TO LET—At 1087 Middlesex street, tenement of seven rooms with all modern improvements, in new house. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—Cottage house, recently put in good order, in Batchelder place, off Walker street. Key next door.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $8, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $3.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $2, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 6 rooms, $6.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 64 Central street.

Furnished Rooms

Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 201 Middlesex street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By experienced laundress, washing to do at home; terms reasonable. Address M. A., this office.

WANTED—Work in an office by High school girl graduate. Address Graduate, this office.

SITUATION by all-round cook; can give reference. Address S. P., Sun office.

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper or doing general housework in family of two. Address L. D., Sun office.

WANTED—A situation at general housework by a Swede girl. Inquire 141 Wilder street.

If you want help at home or in your business try The Sun "Want" column

FOR SALE

YOUR LIFE READING—Many typewritten pages concerning business, love, health, etc, free; send date, birth, sex. Address Astropathic Institute, Auditorium building, Chicago. Reason, your recommendation wanted.

FOR SALE—Large-sized Glenwood parlor stove; good condition. 115 Central St.

FOR SALE—Carrots for horses by the barrel. C. H. Cutter, 604 Mammoth road, Dracut. Tel. connection.

THE ELWOOD TEA & COFFEE CO., Davis square—We will give $5 worth of the Red, White and Blue Trading Stamps with one pound of our 50c and 60c Tea; $2 worth with one pound of our 35c Coffee. Cut this out and get your tea and coffee. Come early.

FOR SALE—Two Concords, 2 democrats, 2 Goddards, 1 doctor's phaeton, 1 Corning and two-horse truck and several others. P. A. Mackenzie, 529 Broadway. Tel. 691-2.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 129 Branch street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fast bay pacer, pneumatic tired wagon and Concord wagon. Inquire 232 Moody street.

LADIES, ATTENTION—Big bargains; dress goods, remnants, from the Merrimack Woolen Co. Corner store, Lakeview and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 376 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Bakery, centrally located; bargain if sold at once; stock and fixtures. Apply 117 Chapel street.

FOR SALE—St. Bernard dog; 3 years old; first class watch dog. Inquire 27 West Fourth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, lot of land in Dracut. Inquire 236 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Ouillet, 83 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health, the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 20 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 25c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50 linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 158 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

"THIS BEATS NEW JERSEY"—Charters procured under South Dakota laws for a few dollars; write for corporation laws, blanks, by-laws and forms to Philip Lawrence, late assistant secretary of state, Huron, Beadle Co., South Dakota.

HOW WOULD IT SUIT YOU to have your income increased? Thousands are applying the system to their profit and satisfaction; why not you? No matter what your occupation, if you have steady employment you can easily increase your earnings. Information free to all who will send name and address to A. B. C. D., Sun office.

LADIES—Our harmless remedy relieves without fail delayed or abnormally suppressed menstruation. For free trial address Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutter's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kraigee, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 105 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 750 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office. 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

LIMBURG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Bon Marche studio.

MADAME LENORE, clairvoyant and card reader, 71 Tyler street. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hours 10 a. m. to 12 and 2 to 10 p. m.

IF YOU WANT your mattresses made over at your home call at 910 Central St.

MRS. FLETCHER, 760 Gorham street, trance business medium and card reader.

J. W. GREENLAW, carpenter and general jobber, 58 Middle St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 836-18.

DRINK GLORIA—Look out for imitations and don't be an easy mark for frauds. Boyle Bros. Telephone.

BUY YOUR HAT at Delorme's, where you can have it cleaned free of charge for one year. Repairing a specialty. 261 Middlesex street.

SAVE MONEY by buying your wall papers and having your paperhanging done at D. Baker & Co.'s, 150 Gorham St. We will paper your room with gilt paper for $2. Good workmanship guaranteed; send postal, will call with samples.

NEW AND SECOND HAND FURNITURE bought and sold; also furniture moving done in a careful manner; always big bargains at our store. McGauvran Bros., Merrimack street, opp. City hall.

LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination; used by 200,000 women; price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address LaFranco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

MOTHERS—Bent's Destroyer kills lice on children and all insects; cures dandruff and itching scalp; prevents falling hair; harmless, 25c. Only at Falls & Burkinshaw's, 419 Middlesex street.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—On Walnut street, 8-room house, good repair; terms easy. Inquire 9 Elm street.

THREE TONS OF COAL given away free to the first customer that buys this new 2-tenement house, 6 rooms on each floor, bath rooms, etc., in each tenement; one tenement already rented, the other is waiting for you; buy this fine house; right at the door of all the large manufacturing concerns; paved streets, cars pass, electric lights, etc.; $100 or more down secures this place, balance as rent; come today and bring $50 or more with you and secure the best thing on earth, a home; pay rent for 50 years and you will have no interest in a house; start a home of your own today; how many years have you been paying rent to a landlord? wouldn't it almost pay for a fine house? if you want to quit renting, if you want to own your own home, don't let this opportunity slip from your grasp. Call today. The S. Lagasse Co., Centralville, Residence, 835 Hildreth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, house lots near mills and electrics; instalment plan; easy terms. Inquire 465 Merrimack street, Lowell.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was— **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

It is reported that ex-Governor Crane is to succeed Mark Hanna as chairman of the national republican committee. While the ex-governor is a good general he will never succeed as a fat fryer, an art in which Hanna had no equal.

The new advertisements in the street cars and on bill boards would indicate that the republicans are badly scared. But for the advantage of being in office Bates would not have the ghost of a show in a contest with Col. Gaston.

THE TEWKSBURY MYSTERY.

The clouds are gathering over the Tewksbury almshouse. Let us hope the industry of tanning human hides has not been revived. The poisoning of eleven inmates seems shrouded in mystery. Somebody has either blundered or perpetrated a crime. A searching investigation should be made.

THE IMPORTANCE OF TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

The democrats of Lowell have been sufficiently informed of the reasons why they should support the party ticket and why if they did not feel it imperative to vote for their own party they should vote against the opposition party.

The issues of the campaign have been thoroughly discussed. The most important state issue is the extravagance of Governor Bates' administration which added $1,000,000 to the state tax in a single year. The mere increase is not so serious as the lack of business tact displayed by the governor and which may result in even a greater increase next year.

The next issue in point of importance is the flagrant manner in which the governor interfered with the rights of municipalities to manage their own affairs. The city of Boston, generally admitted to be the most cultured in this country, was not deemed intelligent enough to be allowed to enrol its own voters. The state police had to be called in to do the work and a pretty muddle they made of it. The fact that a member of this body of state police is held on a charge of murder while another is held on a charge of assault and attempted robbery is a damaging testimonial to that body.

There are various other issues upon which Governor Bates is severely arraigned; but they are of minor importance, although in the aggregate they prove conclusively that the governor is not a safe business man, that he lacks the tact and the judgment so essential to success in the administration of the affairs of a great office.

Another matter that should be considered before going to the polls next Tuesday is, that the election of Governor Bates would be taken as an endorsement by the Bay State of republican rule in the nation. Now, this is the very thing that should be withheld.

Do the people approve of the trusts, of the imperial policy, of the corruption in the postal department, of the land grafting in the interior department? If they do not they should defeat the republican ticket in this state.

The election of Colonel Gaston would have the same effect as a vote of censure by the state of Massachusetts on the national republican administration. That is just what is needed.

Therefore, if the people cannot change the national regime, they can show their disapproval of its acts in the various states by voting against the party it represents.

This would have a salutary effect in causing the republican party to go slow in the matter of sheltering combinations that usurp the government function of levying tribute upon the masses.

This is what the trusts do when they fix the prices of commodities and stamp out all competition.

The defeat of Governor Bates would be a rebuke to the national administration and a warning that unless the republicans change their policy a national defeat will follow later on.

The national interest in the Massachusetts election this year is shown by the fact that Secretary Shaw came here to save the day for Bates. The president feels alarmed when he sends a member of his cabinet here to take the stump for Bates.

Colonel Gaston has put up a gallant battle for democratic principles and policies and democrats and republicans alike will serve their own interests best by voting for him. His election would spread consternation in the republican ranks throughout the nation and would undoubtedly lead to a policy more favorable to the people. Thus every voter in Massachusetts can use his suffrage to a good end by voting the entire democratic ticket. The undisturbed control of one political party in state and nation is dangerous.

REFORMS DEMANDED BY FARMERS' CONGRESS.

The Farmers' Congress recently held at Niagara Falls adopted a platform well worthy of consideration by all political parties. It embodies some of the most important reforms as follows:

1. Favoring a constitutional amendment empowering congress to levy a graduated income tax.
2. Asking the federal congress to pass a constitutional amendment providing for the direct election of United States senators by popular vote.
3. Urging congress to establish a parcel post, a postal telegraph and postal savings banks.
4. Asking for further federal legislation for the control of corporations and the enforcement of laws already enacted.
5. Urging upon the railways the importance of giving better rates, disapproving of the certificate plan and asking for stopover privileges.
6. Thanking Secretary Wilson for his efforts in the interests of agriculture; especially for recommending the establishment of an office for the assistance of the state institutes and thanking congress for establishing this office a year ago.
7. Favoring the broadening of parcel transportation facilities.
8. Urging the importance of maintaining and extending the present free rural mail routes.
9. In support of the non-partisan movement for the extension of the referendum.

The first, second, fourth and fifth planks of this platform should be endorsed by the entire people of the United States. They have already formed a part of the platforms of the democratic party in more than one national contest.

The income tax law was annulled by the supreme court; the purchase of seats in the United States senate makes the popular election of senators imperative. It has been found also by bitter experience that the U. S. senate, together with the exercise of the presidential veto power are serious bars to the giving effect to the will of the people.

As to the proper control of corporations that is still a problem that puzzles both parties. The farmers by the adoption of this platform have shown themselves to be a lot of intelligent men. They might, however, have gone little farther and demanded the removal of the tariff on hides, the raw material for the manufacture of boots and shoes. If the tariff was of any use to the farmers it might justly be retained in spite of its injurious effect upon the boot and shoe industry; but it is the Chicago packers, not the farmers who reap the benefit of the tariff on hides

THE SHAMROCK CLUB

PRESIDENT O'RAFFERTY ON THE LUCE JOINT CAUCUS LAW.

(Springfield Union.)

"What's this loose-jint law I hears thim talkin' about?" inquired Grogan.

"Why, man dear, 'tis the corkis law," replied President O'Rafferty. "I thought iv'ry wun knew that."

"Thin why do they call it the loose-jint law?" persisted Grogan.

"I dunno, onless it's because it toightens up some av the loose j'ints in the ould law. Flaherty sez a man named L-u-c-e wuz behind it, but Lucy is a gerl's name an' I don't believe it. Betwanne you an' me, Grogan, there's a big howl agin this new law. It intherferes wid the roights av the citizens. Undher the ould law a man's a Dimmyerat or a Rapoobliean as the notion takes him, or if he doesn't want to be nyther he can be a Prohibishunist or a Socialist. He can be wan today, an' the other tomorrer, an' nayther the next day, or all four at the same tolme. If there's anything in it he can collect all 'round, an' nobody the wiser. 'Twuz a good law for the man wid a few cards up his sleeve, for it let him in on iv'ry deal. Yo cudn't stack the cards on him, an' it made no diffrunce how many tolmes ye changed the pack.

"Thin, there's the man who's too nolce for anny party, yeer ould frind, the mugwump. He's a Rapoobliean until the nommynations are made, an' thin he's Dimmyerat. He wants to run both parties, an' a little party av his own besoides, an' he's nivver happy onless he's in thrubble wid wan or the other. Poor man, undher the new law he'll have to identify himself wid wan party if he wants to vote in the corkises, an' he'll have to shtay wid that party outill he gets a legal transfer to another. There'll be no rain checks for him good for the next game, an' he can't renegg. 'Tis an outrage on individual liberty an' a blow at the freedom av the reputer.

"'Must free-born Amurrican citizens wear the yoke av some machine ruled party?' sez the mugwump. 'Must we be branded loike so many cattle? Are we to be denoid the privilege av voting as many toimes and as many tickets as we folkes? Where is our boasted freedom, an' how are we to maintain the purity av the ballot if we have to vote for the min we nonynate? We rebel agins sich tyranny,' sez they, 'an' we'll resist to the lasht anny attimpt to legalize corkises an' infringe upon the roights av the bolter,' sez they. 'We're wid ye,' s z the thrimmers. 'What's to become av us if it's illagel to vote in the corkises of all parties? 'Twill be takin' the bread out av the mouths av our poor childr-r. Good min wid the shtuff to pay will shtand no chance av a nommynation. Rapoobliians will have to run their corkises widout the assistance av experienced Dimmyerats loike us, an' the Dimmyerats will have to foight their battles undher the ladership av min that don't know how to turn a thrick. Down wid the loose-jint law,' sez they. 'Down wid the attimpt to throttle a vote for the hoighest bluder.' And the mugwump an' the honest grafter jines hands to protict their roights."

"Well, haven't a man the roight to vote as he plazes?" asked Grogan.

"He have that," replied O'Rafferty, "onless he votes in too many corkises. You have a roight to marry whe ye plaze, but Lord help ye if ye thry to run another man's family."

BARGE PARTY

UNDER AUSPICES OF SIGMA SIGMA CLUB.

Under the auspices of the Sigma Sigma club, an organization in connection with the First Baptist church, a barge ride to Chelmsford Centre last night took place, and at the home of Miss Lena Parker in that town a genuine Hallowe'en party was held with all the accessories that make such an occasion one of the greatest enjoyment.

The party left the post office in one of Hanson's mammoth barges at 7.30 o'clock, and the trip, which occupied a little more than an hour, was enlivened with songs.

Upon the arrival of the party at Chelmsford Centre refreshments were served, and the remainder of the evening was spent in a most pleasant manner with songs, recitations and games. The party left the town about twelve o'clock, tired, but satisfied that they had had a good time.

ADAMS

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Each section has a sliding glass door front.

1 Section 9¼ in. high and 34 in. long..... $2.80
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1 Section 13¼ in. high and 34 in. long..... $3.75
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First class $55 and $60 upward, according to date of sailing.

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WHITE STAR LINE, 77-81 State St., Boston, or to
Dennis Murphy, 18 Appleton St.
R. F. Leeds, 5 Bridge St., Lowell.

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Discount allowed on combined outward and return first and second cabin fares.

Rates, sailings, plans, etc., apply ALEX. ANDER MARTIN, agent, 126 State street, Boston.

DEN S MURPHY, 18 Appleton street, Lowell Mass.

J. F. O'DONNELL, 324 Market street, Lowell Mass.

O. A. BERNSTON, 25 Andrew street, Lowell, Mass.

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F. J. Wiley, Cured of General Debility, Says:

To Prof. Munyon: To all it may concern. I take pleasure in saying a good word for Munyon's Paw-Paw. Seeing the advertisement that samples would be distributed free from the News office, and having suffered for years from general debility, mental depression, no appetite, and lack of interest in the daily duties of life, I availed myself of the free offer and noted at once a change for the better. I have used less than one large bottle of Munyon's Paw-Paw and must say it has made a new man of me. It certainly is a wonderful remedy and should be in every home.

(Signed) F. J. WILEY, Manchester, N. H.

Thomas J. Byrne, Cured of Chronic Catarrh of the Stomach.

I have for years suffered with palpitation of the heart due to nervousness, superintended by a chronic case of catarrh of the stomach. Mr. Buck, a grateful patient of yours from Portland, wrote me calling my attention to your wonderful discovery, Paw-Paw.

I have used three bottles and now am entirely well and I hand this testimonial to you, doctor, unsolicited.

Thanking you, I am
Yours truly,
(Signed) THOS. J. BYRNE, River Road, Manchester, N. H.

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Dear Sir:—I have been afflicted for years with indigestion. Have tried many remedies and consulted many doctors without obtaining any permanent relief. I began to take your Paw-Paw about ten days ago and I noticed a marked improvement from the very first dose. My stomach troubles have disappeared. I eat well, digest what I eat, and enjoy my food. I cheerfully recommend Paw-Paw to all my friends.

Yours truly,
(Signed) GEO. E. LAWRENCE, Company F, Togus, Me.

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and Automobile Jackets of leather with corduroy linings.

BILLY GARDNER

Will Quit the Boxing Game

HE HAS ENGAGED IN SEVENTY ONE BOUTS

Only Six Decisions Against Him

Billy Gardner will retire from the boxing game at the close of this year. The Lowell boy says that there is not enough money now to attract a man unless he is a champion. While Billy has made considerable coin during his career, yet he feels that in proportion to the time and energy spent in preparing for his contests the compensation is not commensurate and he will seek a living at some other occupation not so exacting and more stable.

He has been in the ring seven years and in that time has engaged in 71 bouts, meeting all comers who were willing to face him, and never resorting to the game of picking his opponents even when he stood well with the club managers in Boston and had an opportunity to select his men with a view to facing easy marks when he had the chance. He is a game little fellow and during his career has been beaten only six times. Many of his bouts that were called draws would have been awarded him on points had not a previous arrangement been made that in case both men were on their feet at the close of the prescribed number of rounds the bout should be a draw. Billy is yet a young man, being only about 21 years of age and today he is looking better than ever before in his life. He has taken good care of himself, with the result that he enjoys fine health. He has a good bank account, which fact speaks of his careful ways, and after the first of the year will branch out in some business.

Below is a record of Billy's ring career:

1896.			
May 11.	K	Mike Connelly, Manchester,	4
May 28.	K	Jack Welsh, Manchester,	7
June 22.	K	Scotty Coyne, Manchester,	10
June 27.	W	Jimmy Stewart	20
1897.			
Feb. 24.	W	Jimmy Walsh.	4
March 24.	D	Patsey Sweeney, Hooksett,	5
March 28.	D	Patsey Sweeney, Lynn,	6
April 4.	K	P. St. Dennis, Manchester,	5
April 27.	W	Scotty Coyne, Manchester	3
1898.			
May 1.	K	Sammy Lewis, Glen Falls,	7
May 12.	K	Mike Collins, Haverhill	3
May 28.	W	E. Hornbecker,	4
1899.			
March 3.	W	Billy Chisholm, Lowell,	12
March 12.	K	Tommy Heffernan, Boston,	3
March 29.	W	Henry Senter, Boston,	3
April 1.	K	Joe Coppinger, Boston,	2
April 19.	K	Young Carney, Lowell,	4
May 24.	D	Andy Daly, Lowell,	15
May 30.	W	Geo. Boles, Hartford,	10
June 18.	K	Young Swanson, Lowell,	3
Aug. 29.	D	Martin Flaherty, Wallingford	6
Oct. 16.	L	Andy Daly, New York,	6
Nov. 8.	K	Dan Brennan, New York,	5
Nov. 28.	K	Lou Meyers, New York,	3
1900.			
Jan. 15.	W	Young Mack, Boston,	4
Feb. 12.	K	Lou Morgan, Brooklyn,	1
Feb. 22.	D	Andy Daly, Boston,	15
March 6.	D	Fred Dingdale, Clinton,	6
April 6.	L	Tommy Sullivan, Boston,	15
April 19.	K	Jack O'Brien, Brockton,	11
May 2.	W	Billy Barrett, Boston,	15
May 25.	W	Austin Rice, Manchester,	15
June 26.	D	Austin Rice, Manchester,	15
Aug. 8.	D	Mike Sears, Lynn,	15
Sept. 3.	W	Jimmy Davenport, March'r,	8
Oct. 25.	K	Jack Smith, Brockton,	6
Nov. 6.	K	Andy Daly, Lawrence,	11
Nov. 29.	W	Billy Chisholm, Lowell,	15
Dec. 11.	W	Jimmy Briggs, Boston,	12
Dec. 31.	K	Tim Harrington, Boston,	8
1901.			
Jan. 11.	K	Dan Snyder, Manchester,	3
Feb. 12.	K	Patsey Haley, Manchester,	3
March 11.	K	Ben de Barry, Cambridge,	8
March 12.	K	Ned Maher, Lowell,	1
March 29.	K	Joe Flaherty, Lowell,	4
April 19.	K	Tommy Sullivan, Lowell,	11
May 29.	K	George Phelan Manchester,	1
June 21.	K	Kid Rogers, Boston,	1
July 12.	L	Kid Broad, Bridgeport, Ct.,	15
July 25.	D	M. Flaherty, Lowell,	20
Oct. 29.	K	Young Saxe, Manchester,	5
Nov. 28.	W	Tommy Regan Boston,	6
Dec. 20.	W	Arthur Cole, Biddeford,	15
Dec. 3.	K	Billy Critch, Boston,	2
1902.			
Jan. 21.	D	Andy Watson, Gloucester,	6
Feb. 22.	K	Eddie Connolly, Boston,	4
March 14.	D	Martin Flaherty, Boston,	10
April 19.	K	Jack Carrig, Boston,	6
May 5.	D	Mike Sullivan, Boston,	6
May 19.	D	(heated) Jack Carrig, Boston,	10
Nov. 18.	D	Toby Irwin, San Francisco,	15
1903.			
Jan. 15.	L	(heated) Danny Dwyne, Boston,	8
Feb. 10.	L	Willie Fitzgerald, Boston,	1
April 17.	K	Arthur Cole, Biddeford, Me.	6
May 1.	W	Bethel Wolcott, Boston	2
May 12.	W	Jimmy Kelley, Fall River,	10
Aug. 10.	K	Willie Lewis, Fall River,	7
Sept. 8.	K	Fred Bryson, Boston,	2
Sept. 16.	K	Tommy Daly, Boston,	12
Sept. 22.	W	Danny Duane, Fall River,	15
Oct. 7.	L	Honey McInily, Boston,	19

Jimmy Gardner has decided to return to Lowell and with his young wife will occupy a house adjoining that of his parents.

It is the intention of George Gardner when he returns east to secure an interest in the hotel business either in this city or Boston.

$17,000 STOLEN

DETECTIVES ARE MAKING A SEARCH FOR BUCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—Detectives are scouring Boston, aided by the police, for a clue to Alfred A. Buck, the assistant cashier of the Mapleton State bank, of Mapleton, Minn., alleged to have stolen $17,000. The man is believed to be in hiding in this city. He disappeared October 13, leaving a letter behind in which he set forth his shortage. He is 32 years old, five feet ten inches tall, weighs 245 pounds and is of good appearance. Buck is known to be heavily armed and is said to have written to his friends that he would fight before he would permit himself to be arrested. He has also written that he would kill himself before he would permit himself to be taken.

HALLOWE'EN PRANKS.

Tonight is Hallowe'en, so look out for fun and pranks. The celebration of this occasion dates back centuries, and it has lost none of its popularity among some of our people. In old days All Hallows eve was merrily celebrated. The stranger was brought in and bade be merry o'er the hearth. Apples were split for him and the wassail stirred. A great bowl of milk had baked apples in it and roasted pears cut up and stirred to mush. There were floating nuts and divers things for divers kinds of digestions. So very merry were those days of All Hallows that it took three days to celebrate them, and the farm-hands that kept the lands were just able to tend the lowing kine and neighing horses. Mine host and his guests lived nights with their boots on and drank the wassail merrier and merrier as the days went on. Matches were made and lovers met, and the old, old story, ever new, was repeated, just as it is in these days and as it will be while human life lasts.

Our Hallowe'en is a festival for the old as well as the young; a game in which grown-up folk can indulge without loss of dignity. The young woman can become a child again, and the man a boy. All hands are bent on having a good time, and the games are those played long years ago.

Are you invited to a Hallowe'en party? If not, get "next" at once, or have a Hallowe'en party of your own. A tub, a cake, a looking glass, a candle and stick, a ring hidden somewhere in the cake—knives, nuts, candy and fruit, and if you are looking for fun you will get all is coming to you.

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BABY'S FINGERS

Caused Imprint on Window Pane in Fall River

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Oct. 31—Little Eliza Cross, with some soap and hot water, disposed of the "psychic phenomena" described as a manifestation of the supernatural in the form of an ineradicable hand imprint on the kitchen window pane.

Little Eliza's youthful arm was directed by an energetic mind that knew that the spot on the glass was no outward and visible sign of the visitation of a power from the great beyond. So she rubbed out the prints of four fingers and a thumb made upon the glass of the kitchen window of her father's home at 91 Reeves street; the marks, some one said, had been placed there to show the little girl that she was in error in being skeptical about spiritualism.

Little Eliza spoiled what might have been a choice subject for psychical research when she scrubbed and polished that window pane. But she did not know what destruction she was bringing about when she erased the spot. She did not know that it had been placed there by a power not amenable to the laws which govern acts of the mundane population. She did not know that she was trespassing with soap, water and a cloth upon the premises of the distinctively occult in metaphysics.

She did not know that those stains were signals to unbelievers. She did not know that it had been said that all the soap in Bristol county, all the hot water in the mill boilers, all the cleansing acids ever in solution could not wash it out, and that she could have cried like Macbeth for "All great Neptune's ocean," without making an impression on the stain.

All the innocent girl knew of the portentousness of her act was, "the window was dirty and I washed it."

But yesterday afternoon little Eliza realized fully what she had done; she opened her deep, blue eyes and looked Fame full in the face. An army of photographers, newspaper writers and past masters in metaphysics tramped across the rocky field to the three-story white tenement house on Reeves street where Thomas Cross lives with his six children, of which Eliza is the eldest. They were there full of confidence and ambition, to scrutinize, measure, photograph and trace the mysterious hand mark and transmit the inexplicable formation to thousands of the skeptical.

Little Eliza, with the soap suds dripping off her small white hands, suspended the operation of washing the floor long enough to wonder and to explain. Eliza is the "little mother" of five small children now. While her father toils in the cotton mill the small daughter cares for the motherless children.

For 10 long weeks Mrs. Cross was sick. The tender nursing of her little daughter and her friends made her comfortable, but it could not save her life. During that long period there was little time for Eliza to attend to the daily ablutions of her little sisters and brothers.

So it happened one warm day in September that the chubby fingers of the baby of the family, browned by the soil of the street, were pressed against the window pane in a signal to one of his playmates, outside. The sun burned the imprint, and it remained on the glass for several weeks. Passers by saw it, but marveled not.

But, lo, one day there came by a space writer, a student, a delver into mysteries of the old world, a man with an imagination like unto that of those who have so graphically described the feats of the Indian necromancers. He saw, and even as he saw, he knew that here was coin. That which had passed for the commonplace and ordinary, under the revelations of the prophet whose name, unfortunately cannot be handed down to posterity, became the manifestation of the supernatural.

But even as the oracle was passing little Eliza was pouring the hot water from the kettle to the pail. As the prophet was wending his way ruminating across the field little Eliza was rubbing the soap over the saturated cloth.

As he was dipping his fevered pen into the ink well and imposing upon the papers of a continent, the little mother of the house was fast obliterating that spot, unmindful of the fact that she was actually rubbing out a great discovery.

In the words of little Eliza: "The baby put his dirty fingers on the window and I washed out the marks as soon as I had time."

Then the little girl apologized to the photographers, the reporters, the metaphysicians and other scientists, for allowing the window pane to remain stained so long.

"But mother was sick so long, and then she died, and I haven't had any one to help me since," was the little mother's plaintive explanation of that "psychic phenomenon."

CRUISER CHICAGO

TO BE PUT OUT OF COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Orders have been issued to put the cruiser Chicago out of commission at the New York navy yard, with a view to her complete repair for service as flagship of the Pacific station. She will replace the New York which will be assigned to the North Atlantic station.

SACRED HEART BOYS WON.

Hurrah for the Sacred Heart parochial school football eleven! They trounced the Butler schools yesterday afternoon by the score of 11 to 0. Mike O'Loughlin, John Craig and Richard Robinsen were the stars of the victorious team. Swelled Punk Rogers of the vanquished team, as usual, kicked at everything but the ball. He had better buy a book on football and study it for a few hours; then he might be fast enough for the Day Nursery eleven.

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PARKS GUILTY

The Jury Was Out Only Twelve Minutes

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—For the second time within two months Samuel J. Parks, walking delegate of Housesmiths and Bridgemen's local union, 2, was convicted of the crime of extortion in the court of general sessions yesterday afternoon.

It took the jury just twelve minutes and two ballots to agree on the guilt of Parks. He was accused of extorting $500 from the builders of the Tiffany studios, under threat of keeping them from continuing their work last January.

Parks was defended by a distinguished array of counsel, which included ex-Assistant District Attorneys James W. Osborne, Barlow S. Weeks and George Gordon Battle. It was shown that Parks had obtained $500 from the Tiffany firm as an "initiation fee" last January, when the housesmiths and bridgemen were on strike on three of the Tiffany contracts in this city. Parks claimed that this money was a fine levied by his labor union.

During the trial the fact developed that Parks had been disloyal to his union, inasmuch as he permitted the Tiffany firm to employ non-union men on certain jobs after having received the $500.

THE CHARGE NOT DENIED.

The accusation was not denied by the defendant or his counsel during the trial. Mr. Osborne contended that Parks had given the money to the treasurer of his organization, and that the entire transaction was a business deal, which, instead of being a crime, afforded considerable business advantage to the firm which paid the money. During the trial the counsel for Parks endeavored to introduce certificates as to the prisoner's delicate state of health, but Judge Newburger refused to admit them.

Mr. Osborne made an excellent defence, although he had very weak grounds to stand upon, while Mr. Rand, on behalf of the people, placed Parks in a very uncomfortable light before both the public and his fellow unionists.

For a time it looked as if Mr. Osborne's efforts had made a deep impression on a few of the jurymen, but if any of them favored the prisoner before the case was given to them by Judge Newburger, the brief charge by the court was sufficient to clear their minds of any doubt as to Parks' guilt. In his charge Judge Newburger said that it made no difference what disposition Parks made of the money after he had obtained it from the representatives of the Tiffany firm, if, in the belief of the jurymen, he had obtained it under a threat, direct or implied, as that fact would constitute extortion, the crime charged against the prisoner.

KNEW IT WAS UNFAVORABLE.

When the jury returned to court the prisoner as well as his counsel knew that the verdict would be an unfavorable one for them. When the jury was polled and the prisoner ordered to stand up when the verdict was rendered, Parks glared at the jurymen with the same look of defiance he has maintained during this as well as his previous trial.

Parks is far from being a well man, as he is afflicted with tuberculosis of both lungs. When he was remanded for sentence a week hence he walked out of the court crestfallen.

Parks is now awaiting the decision of the higher courts on a writ of error, having been sentenced to a term of not less than two and a half nor more than three and a half years in Sing Sing prison where he spent a few days before being released on the writ.

The charge on which his former conviction was secured was extortion also.

Parks' previous conviction was for having extorted $.00 from Josephus Plenty. Four other indictments for extortion are pending against him, and one for perjury, incident to his testimony in the Plenty case.

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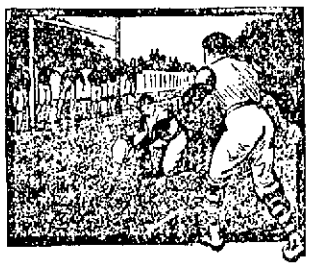

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WED AT MIDNIGHT

Lovers Were Not to be Denied

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., Oct. 31.—After traveling across the Atlantic in pursuit of his sweetheart, who was waiting here to wed him notwithstanding the injunction of her parents, Albert Robertshaw claimed his bride at midnight and started on his honeymoon early yesterday morning.

Miss Edith Drysdale, the bride, came to South Manchester two months ago to visit her relatives. Her parents objected to the attentions of Robertshaw in Ireland, where the young couple lived four miles apart. But when he wrote and asked his sweetheart if she would wed him here, she promptly cabled an affirmative answer.

Robertshaw sailed on a steamer for Boston, which was the first he could get. He cabled that he would reach here last Wednesday night. Miss Drysdale's relatives, who were persuaded to sympathize with her, made preparations for the wedding on an extensive scale. Invitations were issued and the trousseau prepared. Rev. Geo. P. Rogers, a clergyman of Wales, Mass, a friend of the bride's family, was on hand.

But when all was in readiness for the bridegroom Wednesday night, a telegram from Boston announced his steamer overdue. For 24 hours Miss Drysdale was very nervous, but yesterday came the news of the arrival of the ship. The wedding guests again assembled at 7 p.m., when the wedding was to occur, but though the bridegroom arrived he could not find the town clerk to get a license.

With his bride-to-be he searched the town for the clerk, to learn that he had left town for the night. Taking a carriage, Robertshaw drove to the clerk, who consented to return. The license was issued in time for the ceremony at midnight, and the guests made merry until an early hour.

Robertshaw is the son of the president of an insurance company in Ireland, and his bride is of a prominent family. The couple will reside in South Manchester, and Robertshaw will engage in business in Hartford.

SERVICE FOR MEN

DR. C. H. MEAD OF NEW YORK THE SPEAKER—CORNET AND VOCAL SOLOS.

The speaker at the Y. M. C. A. meeting for men in First Congregational church, Sunday at 4 p. m., will be Dr. C. H. Mead of New York, a mere mention of whose name in places where he has once spoken, is sufficient to draw a full house. He is the kind of man one never tires of; always something new to talk about, and no matter how long he speaks when he stops you wish he had only begun. The exercises will be opened with a rousing song service which will be thoroughly enjoyed by the men. There will be cornet solos by Roscoe McDaniel and vocal solos by Nettie S. Roberts, who will also sing with cornet obligato by Mr. McDaniel. Every man will want to attend this service.

A TONE WIZARD.

Mr. Harold Bauer, the noted pianist who is coming to Lowell next Thursday, is brought here by the M. Steinert Son's Co, and all lovers of music should show their appreciation of such enterprise on the part of one of our local business houses, by turning out in large numbers to hear this eminent musician, of whom the New York Post has the following to say:

"Paderewski himself could not have produced more ravishing effects of tone-color than Mr. Bauer did. It was one of the wonders of the musical season. What need is there of orchestra when such tone-colors can be produced on a piano by a tone-wizard!

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

One only needs to read in another column the elaborate and attractive array of talent which the Lowell Orchestral society offers to its patrons during the present season to be convinced that the society is doing its share towards keeping the musical art in Lowell on a high plane and affording its devotees the highest kind of pleasure. And all this at a trivial cost, one may well wonder how such artists as Ruby Cutler Savage and husband; Maud McCarty, the talented violinist; Mme. Flora Linde and her charming daughter, the latter having been invited by the great Sembrich to sing with her in opera; Rudolph Krasset, the new 'cellist of the Boston Symphony, and all the others and more not yet mentioned, can be presented for the paltry sum of 25 cents for each recital. The great inquiry for tickets means that Huntington hall is going to be crowded and well it might be. To remedy the great inconvenience of standing in line several hours in the biting air, the first choice of reserved seats will be sold at auction next Wednesday, Nov. 4th, at 2.30 p.m. in Huntington hall. In the past the premiums have been very insignificant. After the auction, seats can be secured the following day at Austin's music store. The price of a season ticket, giving two reserved seats and admitting to all the rehearsals at Odd Fellows hall is $3.00. The first recital is Nov. 15th.

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Mrs. E. Wycliff, New York city, writes: "'ORRINE' cured my husband, who was a steady drunkard for many years. He now has no desire for stimulants, his health is good and he is fully restored to manhood. He used only five boxes of 'ORRINE.'"

Mrs. W. L. D., Helena, Mont., writes: "I have waited one year before writing you of the permanent cure of my son. He took sanitarium treatment, as well as other advertised cures, but they all failed until we gave him 'ORRINE.' He is now fully restored to health and has no desire for strong drink."

Mrs. U. L. R., Kansas City, Mo., writes: "I am satisfied that drunkenness is a disease and the worst in the world. 'ORRINE,' in my opinion, will cure any case if taken as you direct. I was a common drunkard for 20 years, but today I am free of any desire for liquor. You have found the specific. God bless you!"

Mr. A. E. L., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I was born with a love of whiskey and drank it for 32 years. It finally brought me to the gutter, homeless and friendless. I was powerless to resist the craving and would steal and lie to get whiskey. Four boxes cured me of all desire and I now hate the smell of liquor."

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FOR SMUGGLING

Three Men Arrested in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Samuel Grunberg, S. Burman and C. A. Buetler, were arrested yesterday on a charge of smuggling lace curtains, valued at about $2600 into this port.

The complainant is Ralph W. Clayton, a treasury employe connected with the New York office, who alleges that the three men with the other who has not yet been taken into custody, conspired to make a false entry concerning lace curtains.

They were arraigned before United States Commissioner Fiske and held in $5,000 each for a hearing on December 1.

BASKET BALL

Tonight the battle begins.

Now, Bill Kelliher, do your best and take the opening game.

The Lowell team will have the most attractive uniform in the league.

Manager Smith of Manchester is sending out season tickets.

It will be Lew against Kelliher tonight. Jimmy Harrington will oppose McFarland.

"Butchy" McDonald, Charlie Connors and John Tierney are likely to be league referees.

Mike Qualey says that the Manchester team cannot be tempted by the too generous offers of the Connecticut leaguers.

Concord, Lowell and Manchester are the heaviest salaried teams in the league. The great battle will come between these three, too, according to all "doping" on reputation and form.

Connecticut league salaries are on paper only. Beware of them you fellows who want to get the real money. Gray, Driscoll, Smith, Stewart, Newton and Van Zant will deliver the goods regularly, so hold on to what you have before you try new fields.

Charlie King will be given a try out with the Shawlights in their game with the Lexington A. C. He has been exercising in the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium and has reduced himself to his normal weight. He'll make good all right.

Manager Gray looks for the most successful season in the history of basketball. He says that the game is booming all over New England and that Lowell will prove to be the banner town. The first local game will be played next Thursday night and fish horns, cow bells and other noise making machines will be in order.

When you come to think of it Lowell has turned out about as many and as clever men as are playing the game today. Just look at the old Burke bunch that Jimmy Redmond brought into prominence. They defeated the cream of the national league and turned the trick on the best of them hereabouts. Then take the P. A. C. men with Allard at their head, Mike McMannon, too, was an old reliable, and there were others of the stamp of Oscar McFarland. Lowell has held the lead in basketball since the game was first played here and this year will find the city standing by its reputation.

George Sexton, formerly captain and right guard of the Shawlight 2nd team, has signed with the Derby, Conn. Y. M. C. A. team. He is a valuable player to have on any team, being remarkably fast on his feet, and has a good eye for the basket. The Derby quintet is considered one of the fastest teams in Connecticut and has the proud distinction of having on its team Mickey Gannon, who holds the Connecticut state record for scoring baskets in a single game.

Mayor Howe has accepted an invitation to attend the opening game of basket ball in this city. Manager Gray saw the mayor last night and his honor agreed to toss the ball into the cage at the opening game. There will be a brass band in attendance and the season will be opened in a blaze of glory.

There has been such a demand for seats that Manager Gray decided to put them on sale early and today he placed the reserved seats in Ellingwood's for the accommodation of patrons of the game.

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Mansfield In "Old Heidelberg."
"Marta of the Lowlands"

PLAYS of THE HOUR

Sothern In "The Proud Prince."
"Babes In Toyland" a Hit

THE new Lyric theater has begun its career auspiciously with Richard Mansfield in "Old Heidelberg." The playhouse is large and tastefully decorated, the stage room is ample, and, altogether, the inaugural attraction is well cared for.

"Old Heidelberg" is familiar to many theater goers. Aubrey Boucicault has starred in it, and the picturesque German production has also been seen at the Irving Place theater in this city. Mr. Mansfield's presentation of the play has charm and artistic finish. In the leading role of Karl Heinrich he invests the character with dignity and conforms strictly and consistently to the character as the author, Wilhelm Meyer-Forster, originally created it.

German Atmosphere.

Mr. Mansfield sought atmosphere in the staging of "Old Heidelberg" and was successful, though in one or two minor instances he might have done better perhaps. The play consists of five acts, the action taking place partly at Karlsburg and partly at Heidelberg.

The story of the young prince who has been brought up to know life only as a narrow minded, joyless old uncle (reigning over Sachsen-Karlsburg) chooses to reveal it to him is illustrated sympathetically by Mr. Mansfield. The stiffness, constraint, hesitancy, lack of initiative worn into the young man's very soul Mr. Mansfield does not entirely doffed even after the prince goes to Heidelberg with his old tutor, Dr. Juttner (A. G. Andrews). Once in Heidelberg, with its gay, rollicking students ever ready to burst into song, with its pretty barmaids and foaming fruit of the tap, the youth and the professor immediately seek to forget the existence of books, of everything, in fact, except the rare vintages that make the old feel young and the young feel very, very old even in other places than old Heidelberg.

To the young prince, whose eyes are now opening to the pleasures of the world, all is like a dream, a paradise on earth. He learns to laugh, to frolic with the best of them, to make love to dainty Kathie (Grace Elliston), a valued helper of Innkeeper Ruder, an excitable, obese old soul who finds this life "too much for one man."

But when the awakening comes and Karl has to return to Karlsburg to take up the reins of state because of the mortal illness of his uncle the lad finds it a tremendous sacrifice to leave the scenes of the only pleasures he has ever known, to leave Kathie.

The tragic comedy of the play is no more pronounced than at the time when, two years later, Karl hurriedly decides to go back to Heidelberg to see once more, but only for a few moments, the spot with such precious reminiscences. Kathie is still there, but the students have changed. The peace dispelling revelers of the prince's time have given way to dignified classmen who pride themselves on their knowledge and practice of the usages of formality. They drink and clink steins in unison, as one might say, by number, just as a recruit in the army learns to "right shoulder arms." They sing for the honored guest. At a word all rise in straight lines along either side of a table and chant in a singsong, dinglong fashion from books! All this reminds Karl that his day is past; only Kathie is the same. He really loves her, but he cannot marry her. For reasons of state he must give her up and marry a princess. So they separate.

The singing of the German students in act 2 is delightful. It is a treat in chorus work such as one seldom hears. A. G. Andrews is excellent as Dr. Juttner. Leslie Kenyon as Lutz, Prince Karl's consequential valet de chambre, has a showy part and is good.

"Marta of the Lowlands."

"Marta of the Lowlands" at the Manhattan theater is an interesting presentation of underlife in Spain, or, to be more explicit, in the province of Catalonia. Corona Riccardo, who is a native Spaniard, plays the title role acceptably. Hobart Bosworth as Manelich, a shepherd, the role second to that of Marta, throws life and vigor into every scene in which he appears, but at the same time his physical being militates against him in that it has nothing in it suggesting the Spaniard. He is broad, bulky and Anglo-Saxon as opposed to the insinuating, lithe, sinuous Latin.

As a picture of love, intrigue and passion in life among the lowly "Marta" is accurate, conforming strictly to the atmosphere in which the figures act. The people in the play rotate around a common center, Marta, the daughter, now grown up, of a beggar woman long dead. Marta as presented by Senorita Riccardo is a creature of intensity, an extremist. She knows no middle way. She either loves or she hates. Clearly she is not one to make possible a platonic friendship.

Marta comes under the influence of Sebastian, a loud wealthy planter and mill owner with less principle than a veteran lobbyist, and, hear ye, that is saying a great deal. While a mere child the Spaniard deceives Marta, she not realizing the meaning of her relations with her master.

Finally, however, the time comes when Sebastian desires to marry the daughter of a wealthy friend. To put Marta out of the way he forces her into wedding the shepherd Manelich. He is simple minded, having more knowledge of goats and sheep than of men and women. Sebastian's idea is to maintain his former relations with Marta, using the shepherd as a blind. He overreaches himself. The shepherd falls in love with Marta, and she with him, after learning that Manelich really loves her and had not been bought into marrying her. Manelich gradually sees through Sebastian's scheme. He becomes violently enraged and is put out of the settlement by the guards. Sebastian then comes to Marta in the mill yard in the evening. She had been held there a prisoner by his orders. Marta repels her persecutor until Manelich, returning by a secret way, rushes in and challenges Sebastian to combat. They clinch, and the powerful shepherd strangles the master in true Spanish style. Thus does he win the exclusive right to his bride, and together they go to the mountains, where mere man and his inimate badness will leave them undisturbed in their happiness.

A Pretty Dance.

A dance of the peasants in the mill yard at evening after the marriage of Marta and Manelich is a pretty kaleidoscope of color and graceful movement.

The scenic effects present harmonious color ensembles and lend touches of Spanish atmosphere.

Angel Guimera, the Author.

The play, in three acts, is translated from the Spanish of Angel Guimera, the Catalonian poet and writer. Wallace Gillpatrick and Guido Marburg prepared the version used by Manager Harrison Grey Fiske. Guimera began to write verses at an early age. He is the accepted representative of the Catalans and has won much honor in his own land. The Spanish government once awarded him prizes for his poems "Country," "Faith" and "Love." Guimera has written several plays. "Marta" has proved distinctly successful in Spain and has been reproduced in Servia, France, Italy, Cuba, Mexico and in various South American countries.

E. H. Sothern's New Play.

"The Proud Prince," which E. H. Sothern is now presenting at the Herald Square theater, is a play in which immorality aids in the pounting of a moral. Religious elements and phases intermingle freely with phases of the careless life of a dissolute king and his followers. One element is seemingly introduced to balance the other, and first one arm of the scale is lifted, then the other. The moral shakes itself free from all other attachments in the last act when the proud prince, King Robert of Sicily (Mr. Sothern), is restored to his right mind and body, from which he had been previously dispossessed, illustrating forcibly that the humble will be uplifted if they but wait long enough and make amends for their sins by much travail of soul and crushing of spirit.

The play is daring. It handles without gloves the pastimes of a licentious monarch and his court. Little is left to the imagination. The costumes are elaborate and thoroughly in keeping with the extravagance of the time.

Summed up, the acting is better than the play. Justin Huntly McCarthy, the author, has marred a strong plot by developing it weakly. Though milder than originally, the play is still unnecessarily broad. The art of Mr. Sothern and his associates redeems it. His transition from the king to the fool is admirably done. Miss Lotus is entirely adequate. L. Rogers Lytton's Hildebrand is pictured with good judgment and understanding. While the role might easily have been made one of a swashbuckling sort, boastful, compelling, Mr. Lytton illustrated the part of the true gentleman of the court, experienced, ambitious, reserved and yet not unmindful of the charms of the ladies. His stage presence is attractive, and the artistic finish of his work evidences careful, studied preparation. He is forming a style strong and advanced that should bring him more prominently before the public ere long.

"Babes In Toyland."

Are you looking for about three hours of splendid recreation? If so go to see "Babes In Toyland" at the Majestic theater. Here is a novelty scintillating with scenic splendor, abounding in pretty, graceful girls, catchy lines and pleasing songs. Unique in conception even during these days of jaded theatrical appetites and blase "Johnnies," the "babes" are well calculated to scare away the worries that now and again flit across turbulent brains.

The friends of boyhood and girlhood clothed in all the gorgeousness of up to date stage reality smile, dance, sing and talk to us across the footlights, taking one swiftly back to the spanking age, when all the world was but a great, glorious playground. Pre-eminently a spectacle, "Babes In Toyland" also has a plot. Yes, and, stranger still, the underlying story is adhered to throughout the play, and traces of it are actually visible in the last act. Will wonders never cease?

William Norris as Alan, a nephew of Barnaby, a rich and villainous miser (George W. Denham), is exceedingly good. Norris has also succeeded in tragic roles. Some of the best lines in the play fall to his lot, and he is not lacking in the ability to deliver them effectively.

Mabel Harrison as Jane, Barnaby's niece, is cute, in fact, lovable. Even the mere thought of her does much to brighten this dreary world.

Bessie Wynn is a sweet Tom Tom, eldest son of the Widow Piper. She sings sweetly and would be an ornament to any beauty show. Miss Wynn is winning and winsome. She has grace, charm and ability, and greater things are before her.

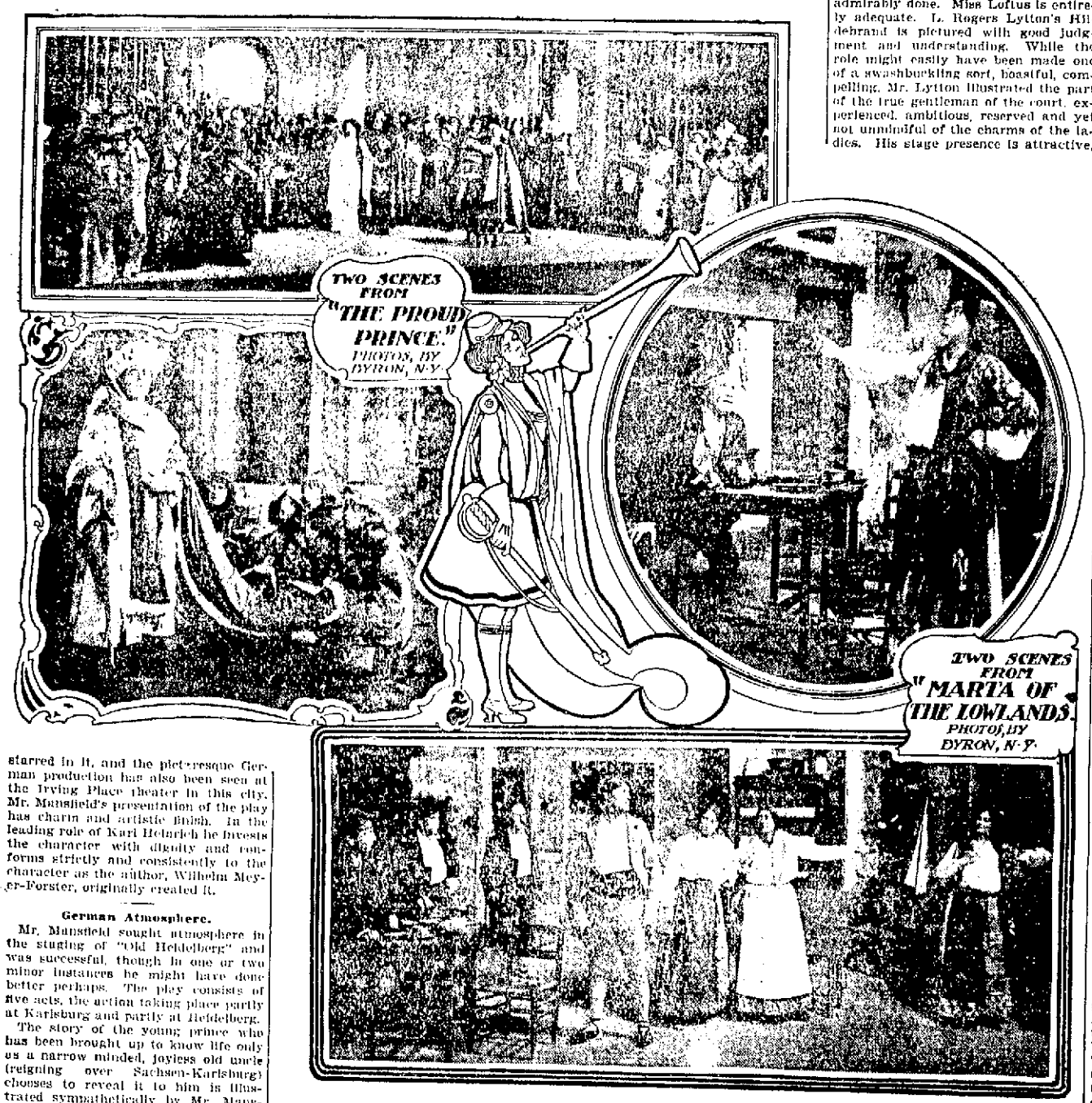
Roderigo, a sentimental villain, enacted by Frank Hayes; Gonzorgo (Charles Harry), his hard hearted partner, and Inspector Marmaduke (Gus Pixley) of the Toyland police are very funny indeed.

The particular features of the play are the spectacular effects. Lavish hands have prepared the settings. The scene in the spider's forest in act 1 is unique, and not least among the enjoyments is the parade of the wooden soldiers.

NEWTON OTIS

New York.

Should Virginia Earle's tour in "Sergeant Peggy" prove a success in this country she will take the piece to London in the spring.



Crescent City Jockey Club.
California Turf Affairs

WINTER HORSE RACING

A Football Comparison—
Western Versus Eastern Scores

THE Crescent City Jockey club has completed arrangements for the coming winter meeting at New Orleans and, like many other prominent turf organizations, has recognized the great strides made by racing in the last two or three years by increasing the value of the stakes and purses.

The New Orleans officials have gone deep into the treasury of the club and have inaugurated various improvements. They have bettered the track, enlarged the grand stand and in other ways have endeavored to contribute to the comfort of their patrons. These improvements have cost more than $25,000.

The New Orleans Opening.

The New Orleans stakes close Nov. 14. The meeting opens twelve days later with the inaugural handicap, $1,250 added, three-quarters of a mile, all ages. Valuable races then follow in rapid succession, and the meeting, as usual, will continue into the new year and wind up during the middle of March with the Crescent City Derby, $2,500 added, one and one-eighth miles, for three-year-olds.

It is to be hoped that in addition to improving the conditions surrounding New Orleans racing the Crescent City Jockey club will also devote much needed attention to the actual running of events. Last winter several unsavory episodes brought the Crescent City races into undesirable notoriety. Horses persisted in running with no regard whatever for form. Jockeys rode just about as they pleased, and a thorough investigation was finally required. Occurrences like that do the racing game inestimable harm, and a little precaution beforehand would have saved the New Orleans officials a great deal of unpleasant work.

California Winter Racing.

Winter racing at the New California Jockey club begins Nov. 14. This organization has control of three plants, those at Oakland, Tanforan and Ingleside. California racing has met with reverses of late years, but now the outlook is promising. The Burns handicap is the most valuable event to be run under the auspices of the new club. This race is for two-year-olds and upward, one mile and a quarter, $10,000 added. Thomas H. Williams is president and Percy W. Treat is secretary. The stakes closed Oct. 26.

Baseball Echoes.

From all indications Boston baseball sharps will never, never, never cease to crow over the defeat of the Pittsburg Nationals by Jimmy Collins' husky aggregation of American leaguers. The collapse of the Pirate pitching staff was providential for the Boston Americans. While this fact undoubtedly contributed materially to the defeat of the Pirates, their playing in the field was far below standard, and there seems to be no reason to account for it. Think of Hans Wagner, the greatest all around player in the country and unquestionably the strongest shortstop in uniform today, making three errors in a single game! Well, that is just what he did. And Tommy Leach, the scintillating third baseman, was also "off his feed." Was it overconfidence, carelessness? Then, too, the Pittsburgs could not hit the ball. During the National season they batted out of the box men as clever as Billy Dineen, yet the Bostonians put the double cross on them so effectually that the tribe of Dreyfuss looked like a bunch of schoolboys. Even the redoubtable Hans Wagner, the muscular, handsome Beaumont, the hard hitting Bransfield, seemed to be in a trance, and when they woke up, lo, the Bean Eaters had them tied hand and foot!

But it is all over now. Postmortems can't bring a corpse to life. Fred Clarke and his warriors have another guess coming, and in the meantime the Boston lads are doing their best to get rid of the large bundles of prize money they received as their share of the spoils. Every player on the world's champion team received more than $1,000 as his share of the receipts from the Boston-Pittsburg series.

A Football Problem.

Why do western football teams persistently roll up larger scores against weaker rivals each year than do the eastern elevens? Here is a problem that long has been a topic of discussion. Every season the western records show a list of games in which teams like Michigan, Wisconsin, Chicago and Illinois, for instance, have made more touchdowns than there are runs in an ordinary baseball game. In the east rarely indeed does Yale, Harvard or Princeton pile up more than thirty-five or forty points even when pitted against elevens that are not superior to the teams which the westerners overwhelm. At the same time there is no reason to believe that the big western teams are stronger than the leading eastern aggregations. Only recently there occurred a striking illustration of the foregoing state of affairs when on the same day Michigan, Illinois and Minnesota scored, respectively, 79, 64 and 46 points against fairly capable elevens. Had the defeated teams played against eastern teams of prominence corresponding to that of the western victors it is certain that the scores would have been not more than half so high.

Probably the explanation lies in the fact that the western college elevens develop the offensive work of their men to a greater extent than do the easterners. In the east a college eleven is generally as strong on the defensive as on the attack. Therefore, while they may not be able to score a large number of touchdowns, they are prepared to prevent other teams from scoring at all.

The West Point-Annapolis Game.

Pigskin pushers everywhere are glad that the annual contest between West Point and Annapolis is not to be abandoned. At first the outlook was dubious owing to the differences existing between the authorities having the game in charge at both institutions. The playing on the West Point team last year of Charley Daly, formerly captain of the Harvard eleven, was one of the causes of dissension, and now that the soldiers have put into effect a rule concerning college men that will prevent Daly playing against Annapolis this year the middies are as peacefully inclined as a flock of lambs in a clover patch.

The game is scheduled for Nov. 28 and, as heretofore, will be played on Franklin field, Philadelphia, through the courtesy of the University of Pennsylvania.

The football differences between the two war studying organizations are now settled by a court of arbitration, consisting of a representative from Annapolis, one from West Point and a third agreed upon by the two first named. This arrangement, it is hoped, will prevent all chance of future breaches.

BEN TAVIS.

CAPTAIN JAMES JOHNSON, CARLISLE INDIAN FOOTBALL TEAM.

PROFESSOR L. M. DENNIS OF CORNELL.

Professor Dennis is the well known football authority who represents Cornell university on the intercollegiate rules committee.

COACH YOST'S CRITICISM.

One of the severest critics of the new football rules is Coach Yost of Michigan. In his opinion the rule which requires seven men in the line between the twenty-five yard lines is a step backward. He says that Princeton is the only big university which has played seven men in the line for several years, and he points to the little success it has had. Yost would substitute a rule requiring six men in the line all the time and in all parts of the field.

Of another of the important changes made by the intercollegiate rules committee Yost says:

"Giving the first man that receives the ball permission to carry it beyond the line of scrimmage, provided he crosses the line five yards from where the center put the ball in play, will not add much to the game except disputes, as it will often be hard to determine just where the line of scrimmage was crossed by the runner. Under the old style of game on runs that crossed the line five yards from center with a good fast quarter back the play would be just as fast and effective; in fact, it would be more so, for there would be an extra man in the interference."

A THEATRICAL CARTOONIST.

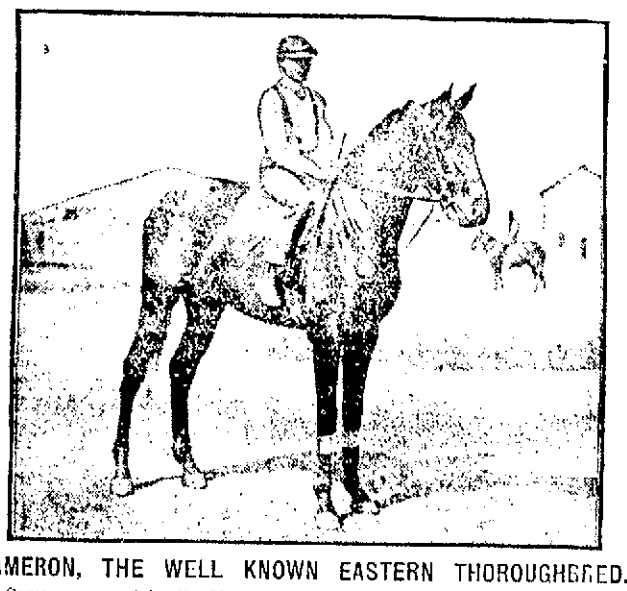
Frances Willard, a member of the chorus of the "Peggy From Paris" company, has joined the New York Art league and will continue her art studies during the season. Unlike most young women, Miss Willard does not go in for painting flowers all over the family china, but is developing her talent as a caricaturist. So far as known she is the only woman caricaturist in the country. Her cartoons of the people she sees in the theater are classed with the work of such cartoonists as Opper and "Zim."

A LITERARY ACTRESS.

Pearl Gibson, one of the New England schoolmarams in "The Sultan of Sulu," is a frequent contributor of short stories and poems to the magazines. She spent her holidays last summer in Halifax, N. S., and has just completed a volume of short stories based upon material gathered there which will shortly be published in New York. It is called "A Haligonian Summer."

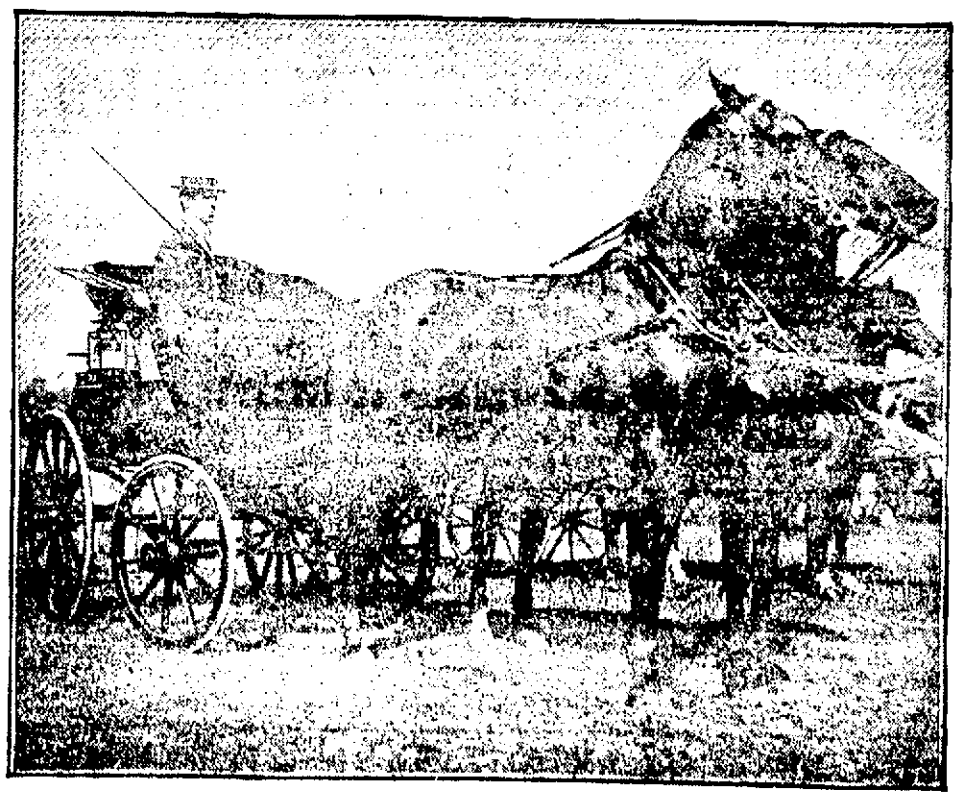
DRAMATIC REVIVALS.

Willard Spenser will make elaborate revivals of "The Little Tycoon" and "Princess Bonnie" next season. The company, presenting both operas alternately, it is said will be under his personal direction.



CAMERON, THE WELL KNOWN EASTERN THOROUGHBRED.

Cameron, owned by the Mexican stable, is a four-year-old brown horse by Meddler- Annat Lyle. His trainer, H. M. Mason, considers him to have a startling burst of speed, and he will be campaigned actively throughout the entire season in the east next year. A recent accident incapacitated Cameron, but he is now thought to have entirely recovered.



ALBERT C. BOSTWICK, THE NOTED AUTO RACER, DRIVING A TEAM OF SHOW HORSES.

POLITICAL FIELD

Prospects for Democratic Candidates Brighten

M. J. MAHONEY.

A Comparison of the Candidates in the 26th District—Democrats Should Vote for all County Officers

A largely attended meeting of the newly organized democratic club of wards one and six was held at the club rooms on Lakeview avenue, Wednesday night, when the democratic candidates were present as the guests of the club.

The following officers were elected: President Henry Hame; vice-president, Michael Casey; secretary and treasurer, James Duffy. The speakers of the evening were Rep. M. J. Mahoney, Councilman Pinder, Robert E. Conroy and George E. Ward. The attendance was enthusiastic throughout and the club gives promise of becoming quite prominent. Phonograph exhibitions followed the speech-making. The next meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon when a rallying committee will be formed and plans made to get out the vote.

Only a few days more remain in which the candidates can get in their canvassing though most of them are about finished with this work. The next matter to attend to is that of getting out the vote on election day. The best and only way for the mill people to be sure of voting is to go to the polls before they go into work in the morning. A hundred and one unforeseen circumstances may arise during the day that will prevent them voting and the only safe way is to vote early. Democrats, vote before you go to your work in the morning, and under no circumstances fail to vote. If you are so located that you cannot get to the polls conveniently notify the democratic city committee and a carriage will be sent wherever you may want it.

George R. Duren of Carlisle, democratic candidate for county commissioner, was in town yesterday after having made an extensive tour of the county. In conversation with The Sun reporter he said: "I have covered as much of the county as I could in the short time allotted to me, but I feel highly elated over the warm reception tendered me by republicans and democrats alike wherever I went. There is a fast growing sentiment all over the county that the county ring has had its day and that it is time to get in new blood. Republicans realize that they cannot break up the ring unless they combine with the democrats and for that reason as an evidence of good faith many of them will vote for me. I may not be the man who will succeed in breaking up the ring, but I will pave the way for some other man and will work as hard for another candidate in another year as I am now working for myself. All I want is for every democrat in the county to vote for me whether he believes I can win or not. Then we can see how far we are being supported by the other side and will know how to proceed next year." Every democrat should vote for Mr. Duren. He is a dyed-in-the-wool democrat and has held up the party honor for years in his own town against great majority.

In the sixth senatorial district in which Mr. Farley is the democratic candidate, there is little hope for a democrat, the district being overwhelmingly republican, but in the seventh district there is a chance and Michael J. Mahoney, the democratic candidate, is one of the ablest and strongest candidates ever nominated by either party. Mr. Mahoney has a host of friends in his district and they are not confined to one party. He has also a fine record in the legislature where he has served for two years. He is an able debater, well read and well informed, thoroughly honest and progressive, and will be a credit to his district if elected. He can be elected if the democrats of the district will give him the support he deserves from them. Mr. Mahoney was one of the foremost advocates of the Butler statue movement. He was on the right side on all labor measures that came up in the legislature. The working people of this city can never hope for just labor laws until they elect men who will introduce and stand by such measures. Mr. Mahoney has time and again shown himself to be the friend of the laboring people and will do so again if elected.

With the memory of the great strike still fresh in their minds the mill people of this city should not need any instructions as to who to vote for in the coming elections, on the representative ticket. In the 26th district in which most of the cotton mill workers live, the democrats have nominated three candidates who should appeal to the working people above any others that could be nominated. In the first place there is Robert Conroy, leader of the quietest and best conducted strike ever known in New England, which, while unsuccessful, won for the mill workers the respect and sympathy of all New England. For seven years past Mr. Conroy has devoted all his leisure time to building up of the textile unions of Lowell working for them continuously for seven years without pay. He knows the needs of the mill operative in regard to legislation perfectly and will be a tower of strength to organized labor in the legislature. He has been a labor leader who has worked every day and Agent Southworth said of him that he was one of the best beamers in the business. The mill people of the district if they will consult their own interests will vote for Mr. Conroy to a man. Another candidate familiar with the needs of the working people of this district is George E. Ward, a prominent member of the Typographical union, formerly a member of the Trades and Labor Council, and one of the men to whose efforts nearly all the printers in Lowell are now drawing union wages. Mr. Ward is a forcible speaker and has often been heard in debate. Then thirdly there is John J. Pinder, the leader of the democratic minority in the common council this year. Mr. Pinder has worked hard for the poor people of his ward during his incumbency and advocated all measures that would give citizens of Lowell work. He is a good talker, well informed and is not afraid to get up and say what he thinks.

Such are the three men nominated by the democrats. How do they compare with their republican opponents?

Cecil Adams, president of the common council and foremost of the republican candidates, is the son of a mill man and the candidate and tool of the corporations. He is registered from a hotel in ward one but lives in Huntington street in ward nine, and hence really does not belong in the district. There was no chance for him to get a nomination in the 27th district, so he has his name put on from the ward one hotel and represents himself a resident of the 26th district which he is not. When the measure to have all city printing done by union labor and bear union label came up Mr. Adams vigorously opposed the measure and signed a petition against it. During his term as president of the common council he has distinguished himself by running away whenever things were not going to suit him, running out of the president's chair and declaring an adjournment or a recess. An instance of this happened only the other night. It seems that there is a petition before the city council signed by 75 voters of Hampshire street to have that street improved. At the last meeting of the common council there were votes enough to carry the order for those improvements which had been recommended by the street committee and passed by the board of aldermen. All they needed was the endorsement of the lower branch. A majority of the lower branch was in favor of the order but President Adams was not and in order to block the majority he ran in when the members were all in the corridor, called to order and declared the meeting adjourned for lack of a quorum though there was more than a quorum within call. And the residents of Hampshire street, all of whom reside in the 26th district, will have to wait for their street improvements until Cecil gets ready to give them to them. It is probable that the residents of Hampshire street will rejoice at the opportunity to vote for Cecil on election day.

Rep. Brown, the second of the candidates of the republicans in the 26th district has a record of once making a motion to adjourn during the several years that he was in the city council. As he has only been one year in the legislature he has not yet had time to do anything except answer roll calls. Bills of local interest might come up in the legislature every day in the week and Rep. Brown would not know them as he has never been in touch with the mass of the people.

The third candidate is Harry Timmons whose claim to fame is the fact that he is a brother of "My Man Timmons," the ubiquitous Fred who used to be a much sought after man when the late Col. Jim Bennett was in his prime. Fred is sponsor for Harry. Harry is best known by his resemblance to Fred. If you see a young man who closely resembles Fred, it's Harry.

To aid the republicans in the 26th district and perhaps for another reason best known to the Textile council and a certain republican paper that paper is booming John McDonald, ex-secretary of the Textile council who is a socialist candidate for representative in the 26th district, hoping to split up the vote of the democratic mill operatives in the district and thus defeat the three democrats on the ticket. Mr. McDonald in running for office in this city displays a nerve that is well nigh supreme. Mr. McDonald is no longer a resident of Lowell and has not been for some time, having moved with his family to Waltham where he is now employed. And yet though a resident of Waltham Mr. McDonald has the presumption to run for office as a candidate from the 26th district which takes in four wards of a city some 20 miles removed from Waltham. Mr. McDonald hasn't a ghost of a chance to win and a vote for him only means a vote against Mr. Conroy and the other democrats on the ticket.

Capt. "Joe" Thompson, who has held the position of registrar of deeds since he returned from the war, scents a scheme on the part of the democrats to turn him out of office and through paid advertising in a republican paper calls on all veterans to hold him in office. Capt. "Joe" is about due for a silver or a golden anniversary of his first election to the place and it would be cruel to dislodge him before he has been in office at least 25 years.

"O'Brien and McMahon" is the watchword throughout the 27th district and the Westall boom has gone "busted."

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AN INSANE CRANK

Tried to See President Roosevelt

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31—Edward Tanner, 33 years old, a native of Switzerland and a crank, tried to see the president yesterday, but he did not get far beyond the doors of the executive offices before his condition was discovered.

He was taken to police headquarters and later to St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum.

GREEK CHARGE

Against the Evening School System

AND METHOD OF INSTRUCTING THE GREEKS

English Teachers Not Understood by Greeks

The following letter brings to public attention a grievance of the Greeks who are obliged to attend evening school and who as yet understand no English:

Demosthenes Generalis, M. D.
Associate Building,
Lowell, Mass. Oct. 29, 1903.

To the Editor of the Sun.

Dear Sir:—I hope you will be kind enough to allow me a little space in your valuable paper for the following open letter concerning the Greek pupils.

Truly yours,
Demosthenes Generalis, M. D.

To the committee of the evening schools of Lowell.

Dear Sirs:—

It is the duty of every man to strive for the benefit and interest of others without any exception of race, much more is it the duty of a person who is connected with them by kinship or patriotism.

This is the reason which urges me to send the letter to your committee of the Lowell evening schools, although I have not the honor of being known of you.

The evening instruction, as it is practiced in the evening school (Mann) among the Greek young boys, is not practical or efficient, it is simply a deplorable farce. The result of the instruction in the preceding years is proof of what I state; it is evident that the Greek pupils who have attended the said evening school in preceding years do not know anything about the English language, excepting those who had a great desire to learn and could afford to take private lessons from Greek teachers in the intervals between school lessons.

Now here is the fact: In the present year there are about 600 Greek boys attending evening classes at the Mann school, with 41 teachers, as published in the newspapers; three out of this number are Greeks, Mr. Intros, who, so to speak, supervises and does not teach; Professor Mantafounes, who teaches, and Mr. Tisgurakes, who has lately been appointed. The 600 Greek boys have practically only one teacher.

Now those forty English teachers teach six hundred young boys every evening, who do not understand English, and their teachers do not understand Greek.

Under these circumstances, how is it possible that such instruction can be of benefit to those Greek pupils? How can the pupils understand the explanation of their English teachers, when they are entirely ignorant of English? Do you think by gestures the teachers make, the pupils can catch the meaning in their own language? The response is obvious.

It is a truism that is an inexplicable fact, how and upon what prop you have leant, to appoint English teachers to teach pupils ignorant of English, when you can find her a number of fine Greek teachers for the evening school for those Greek boys. It is an inconceivable wrong, and we cannot understand the reason why, in Lowell, English teachers are preferable in such evening schools, when in the other cities, as for instance in New York, Haverhill, New Bedford, etc., they are rejected, when there are teachers of the same nationality as the pupil, to be taught.

I repeat, we cannot find a possible word, why, when you have in this city very fine Greek teachers knowing, permit me to say, English literally, as Messrs. George Hasaleures, Peter Maurageorges, Constantine Moustakis, Michel Demarus, Apostolos Johnson, Peter Antonopoulos, Alexander Smyenos, George Vozeolas, James Athanashoules, John Marcopoulos, Peter Chageouly, George Gouzoules, John Prempas, Constant Antonopulos and Miss M. Terjakis, all honest and well bred young people, and many others whom I do not remember, you have appointed English teachers, possibly because you did not know that there were such teachers, up to today, or you have been informed by others that there are no such Greek teachers knowing English, who, with gladness and willingness would accept such a position and heartily and efficiently instruct their fellow countrymen, who, after being prisoners in the mills the whole day, are constrained to go to the evening schools to be prisoned again for two hours, without any intellectual benefit.

Do you not think, if such is the case, that it is better to leave those unfortunate beings to enjoy themselves during those two hours freedom by playing in streets and breathing the fresh air, of which their health is in great need, than to have them stooping upon the benches, trying to understand the unknown words of their teachers and predisposing them to severe diseases? Do you think there is any joy or any pleasure to the pupil when he does not understand his teacher, for he, at that moment is sick, and longs for the time to leave the bench, with disgust?

It is time, dear sirs, to correct this very severe fault, and to save the money which you spend each week, in vain, for those Greek boys.

By substituting one part of those English teachers, or all, if possible, by Greek ones, or having an assistant teacher to each class, who will explain the words of the English teacher, or if the budget for the evening schools does not permit it, you can compel each Greek pupil to pay ten or more cents per week for their instruction, which they gladly will pay, for I know the same boys sometimes pay fifty cents to a dollar a week to some Greek teacher for private English lessons; otherwise it will render them more assiduous to their lessons, and the instruction will be fruitful to the boys.

You can take my letter, written under the influence of philanthropy in behalf of the Greek boys, who are thirsting for the knowledge of the English language, and ardently desire to master it, so as to freely express their thoughts and to be relieved, as soon as possible, from being the manikins of the interpreters of their affairs and mockery of one of the present Greek teachers, who, so indiscreetly said, last year, that "He must leave Lowell when the Greeks learned to understand English." Unwittingly, you have appointed "the wolf to keep the sheep."

Respectfully yours,
DEMOSTHENES GENERALIS, M. D.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist. Only 50c.

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Margaret Judge, admx., to John J. Preston, Thomas Judge estate on Hosmer street, $1300.

C. D. Kimball et al. to Peter Curran, land on School street, $1.

Harriet F. Barnes to Angie E. Gray et al., land with buildings on Lavoy cir ct, $1

John F. McGovern to William E. Newton, land with buildings on Pearl street, $1

Betsey W. A. Sweetser to Patrick F. Greening et al., land with buildings on Lincoln street, $1.

Jacques Boisvert to John Kilroy, land with buildings on Hildreth street, $1.

A. Wilbert Starrett to Lewis R. Stevens, land at Soreno park $1.

Elizabeth Richardson to Wellman W. Hatch, land with buildings on West Fourth street, $1.

Simon Loganse to Albert St. Onge, land with buildings on Conduit avenue, $1.

Arthur Genest to Pierre N. Bernard, land on Riverside street, $1.

Simon Leganse to Marie Simard, land on Aiken street, $1.

Fred W. Jenness to William McDonald, land on Coburn avenue, $1.

Alfred Bergenbin to A. L. Russell, land with buildings on Inland street, $1.

Hiram C. Gordon to Martha A. Gage, land on Wentworth avenue, $1.

Katharine F. G. O'Donnell to Tedilio Grossguth, land with buildings on Pleasant street, $1.

City Institution for Savings to F. J. Mellen, land with buildings on Bassett street, $1.

Ernest Genest to Clovis Gaudette, land near Avon street, $1.

Henry J. O'Dowd to John J. Fahey, Jr., land on Crowley street, $300.

Jacques Boisvert to Patrick Henry and Ella Daley, land with buildings on Hildreth street, $1.

TYNGSBOROUGH.

Clara E. Mitchell et al. to Peter Ekstrom, land with buildings, $1.

BILLERICA.

Emma E. Varnum to Edward W. Bruce, several lots of land at Pinehurst annex, $1.

WESTFORD.

Fred O. Stiles to A. F. Blanchard, land on Beaver Brook, $1.

LOWELL.

Lewis R. Stevens to Henry F. Sawtell, land at Soreno park, $1.

Simon Loganse to Celia Desmarle, land on Lakeview avenue, $1.

Joseph Loiselle to Liborie Perrault, land with buildings at Navy Yard road.

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L. R. J. and D. H. Varnum to Frank Esmond, land at Mt. Pleasant, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Harry C. Wright to Clara A. Salmon, land with buildings on Washington street, $1.

WILMINGTON.

Jacob W. Wilbur to Charles S. Smith, land at Silver Lake park, $1.

George A. Sedennker to Clara W. Osborne, land with buildings on High street, $1.

George W. Clutur to Ernest L. Davis, land with buildings at Silver lake, $1.

Brought to Light

Lowell People Receiving the Full Benefit

There have been many cases like the following in Lowell. Everyone relates the experience of people we know. These plain straight-forward statements will do much toward relieving the suffering of thousands. Such testimony will be read with interest by many people.

Mr. John Gallagher of 21 East Merrimack street, says: "Three years ago I had severe pain in my back which I attributed to rheumatism. Reading about kidney troubles led me to wonder if the kidneys were not the cause of it. Having heard of the value of Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney ailments I bought a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, corner Merrimack and Central streets. The wonderful relief ensuing from their use proved the trouble proceeded from the kidneys and at the same time proved the great value of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have since then always kept them in the house and from catching cold or other cause when I felt the least indication of backache a few doses of this remedy soon cured it."

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CUT IT OUT

Quit White Bread and Coffee and Get Well.

A tale that sounds like magic, yet is but a simple evidence of what proper food can do in the place of improper food:

A lady of Quincy, Ill., says: "It seems impossible that I could have gone through what I did and be alive and well today. I was most of my life troubled with a weak stomach and severe headaches and as I grew older I slowly got worse. One physician treated me five years for dyspepsia without any help and I went to another physician who said I had a tumor and I believed him. I was unable to bear even the loosest clothing and could scarcely lift my head, finally becoming entirely bed-ridden.

"Then I changed to another doctor who said I had chronic catarrh of the stomach and advised a change of climate telling me I would get well if I would winter in California. He might as well have advised a trip to the moon in my case. Then I tried a change of diet. It seemed I could not live on crackers and tea nor could I find anything else to agree with me and it began to look as though I was doomed to die. So I made up my mind to eat everything that I craved and determined to die happy at least in the thought of not starving to death.

"Now that I look back at it I don't see how it is possible for a human being to live through such misery as I did. Of course my stomach trouble grew worse and my head grew worse. I had all my hair cut off but it did not help me and when one of my headaches was on I was really and truly crazy and did not even recognize my husband. The doctor would give me morphine tablets to stop my crying.

"Then a friend who knew what she was talking about advised me to give up white bread and tea and coffee and try the predigested food, Grape-Nuts, and Postum Coffee in place. I did so and I have had grand results. The improvement began immediately. I had fallen from 125 pounds to 93 pounds in my sickness and with my hair cut off and gray too, I was a fright.

"In a few days, after I started Grape-Nuts I could eat a little beef and crackers without the least discomfort, my face began to fill out and the awful distress in my stomach soon ceased. Then my headaches began to grow less frequent and the sick dizzy spells have gone from me altogether and I have reached and passed my former weight and am now comparatively well and strong. I am certainly happy and I never touch coffee now for I am certain that coffee and the white bread and biscuits caused all my trouble. As soon as my body got the proper food it did not take it long to put me right both in body and mind. All the credit is due to Grape-Nuts and Postum in place of white bread and coffee."

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DISASTROUS FIRE

Broke Out in Philadelphia Business District

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31—One person dead and possibly two, a dozen persons injured, and a property loss of more than $200,000 is the result of a fire which occurred at noon yesterday in the block bounded by the Schuylkill river, Race, Vine and 23d streets.

The dead: Charles Messmer, aged 16 years.

Missing: M. C. Williams, a roofer.

The buildings destroyed were the flour mill of W. S. Woodward & Sons, and the Baltimore and Ohio grain elevator which adjoined the Woodward structure. The wagon works of H. Kaiser & Co. was damaged by a wall falling upon the roof. The fire began in a frame building between the flour mill and the grain elevator and it quickly spread to these buildings. Eight men were working on the roof of the grain elevator when the fire began and seven of them are known to have made their escape. The eighth, M. C. Williams, cannot be found and it is believed his body is in the ruins.

For a time it looked as though the flames would reach the wagon works and the employes of that place were put to work removing vehicles and other stock. While this was going on the grain elevator wall fell on the roof of the wagon works and buried nearly a dozen men under the debris. Firemen promptly went to the rescue and worked until last night when the body of Messmer, an apprentice, was found, and it was thought they had succeeded in getting all the employes of the works out of the place. August Grimow, a blacksmith, and John D. Lyons, a painter, were painfully but not seriously hurt and ten firemen were also injured during the progress of the fire.

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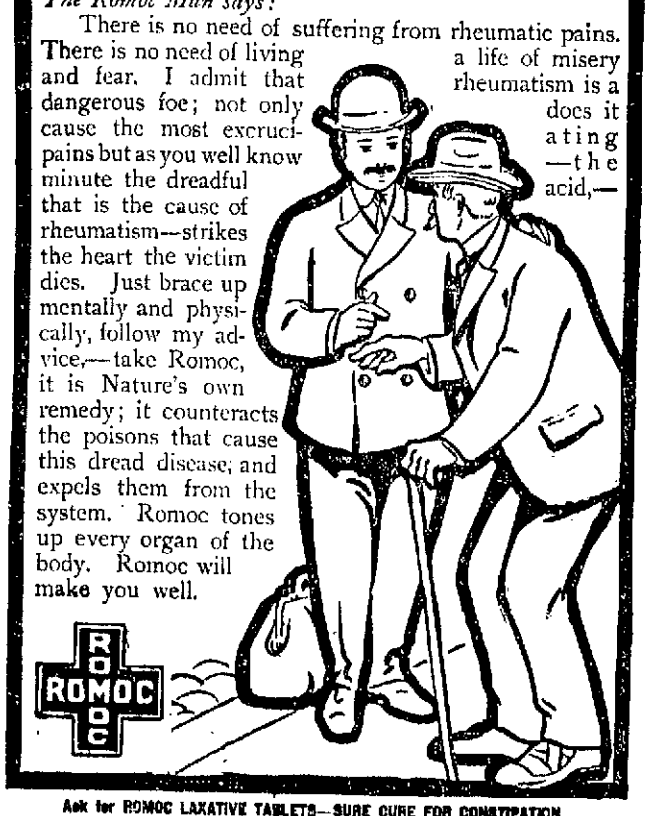

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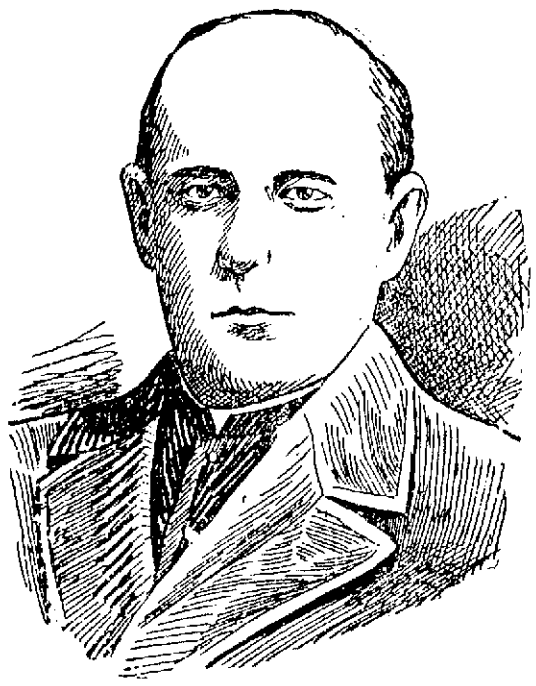

BISHOP SPALDING, L. L. D.

Elected President of the Teachers' Association

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Tremont Temple could scarcely accommodate the gathering of men and women teachers from all grades of the public schools in Middlesex county who were in attendance at the 51st annual convention held yesterday. There were morning and afternoon sessions.

The morning session was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Dr. Thomas Sims, pastor of the Central Congregational church in Melrose, after which Pres. Fred E. Nickerson, superintendent of the Melrose schools, introduced as the first speaker Dr. Luther H. Gulick, director of physical training in the public schools of New York city, who spoke on "Some Differences in the Development of Boys and Girls."

"The Ethics of the Teaching Profession," was the subject of an address by William H. Maxwell, superintendent of public schools, New York city. The three greatest virtues for a teacher, he said, were culture, independence and gentleness, and the greatest of these is gentleness. The teacher must be helpful to the children and it is only through gentleness that helpfulness may be exercised.

The closing address was by Miss Florence Holbrook, principal of the Forestville school, Chicago, on "Literature in the Elementary Schools." Miss Holbrook was of the opinion that every normal child has within him the power to enjoy the beauties of literature, and it is for the teacher to awaken this love for what is best. We are all dependent on environment for growth. Feeling antedates thought, and the power to understand precedes the power to express.

A. L. BACHELLER PRESIDENT.

The afternoon session opened with a delightful musical program given by a finely-drilled chorus of 200 boys and girls from the Somerville English high school under the direction of S. Henry Hadley, director of music in the schools of Somerville and Watertown.

Then came a brief business session. The report of the treasurer stated that at the beginning of last year there was a balance on hand of $93.66. The receipts from various sources amounted to $492.86, and the expenditures $273.18, leaving a balance of $219.68.

Supt. Whitcomb of Lowell presented resolutions on the death of Frank A. Hill, secretary of the state board of education in Massachusetts. The resolutions referred to his worth as a teacher, as a man of culture and kindly heart, expressed regret at his loss and sympathy for his family and friends.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Albert L. Bacheller, Lowell; secretary and treasurer, J. Lewis Wightman, Malden; vice presidents, Charles E. Howe, Wakefield; R. J. Pitman, Marlboro; James W. Applebee, Newton; Bradford W. Drake, Waltham; R. W. Corlew, Wayland; executive committee, Robert C. Metcalf, Winchester; John S. Emerson, Somerville; B. C. Gregory, Chelsea; Melissa E. Elder, Everett; W. C. Whiting, Melrose. The following were elected delegates to the Massachusetts Teachers' convention: Fred W. Nickerson, Albert L. Bacheller and J. Lewis Wightman.

Mr. Nickerson, who presided, then introduced as the speaker of the afternoon Rt. Rev. John Lancaster Spalding, bishop of Peoria, Ill., referring to the great honor and pleasure it gave him to present one who had done so much in the cause of education, a man universally loved because of his great service to the people of his state and whose fame as an orator and author was too well known to be rehearsed.

BISHOP SPALDING'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Spalding read his address from manuscript. He said it was in compliment to and respect for his cultured audience that he followed the example of polite society in the French academy and prepared what he had to say rather than trust to the inspiration of the occasion. He received a very cordial greeting.

The speaker began by defining education as the furthering of life—to purify the original sources of man's powers; for the perfection of the esthetic, religious and moral as well as the intellectual and physical. The end and aim of education is to inculcate high ideals of truth and justice and this is the ground of all our hope. School is but an incident. Heredity, environment and work has much to do with the development of our standards and character. We never cease to be molded.

The child must not only be taught what it does not know, but how to behave when he does not behave. The teacher is not a mechanic, but an artist, for his aim is to build men, not to make encyclopedias. The teacher who makes ideals real gets at the heart of the scholar, exalts his mind and purifies his heart. One is self-educated through life. Good, like evil, is commonplace. Take children away from school and place them in an environment devoid of ideals and you invite them to corrupt one another.

The speaker not only touched upon the aim of education, but those agencies which make for character and influence life. There is the home influence which is so largely due to the mother's devotion and love; the education through the teacher at school; the influence of society and the state in which one lives. The free state is the people's university.

Religion is the most quickening influence. That which is embodied in the Christian church. It holds out the hope of immortality and makes men understand the sacredness of human life. It keeps alive feelings of justice, faith, love and holiness, and teaches that they alone are free who free themselves from within. It is the school for respect and loving obedience. Without morality there can be no religion, and without religion there can be no morality for the great mass of mankind. Without schools no church or state can live.

At the close of the address Bishop Spalding held an informal reception on the platform and a very large number took this opportunity of meeting the distinguished prelate. The teachers were presented by Mr. Nickerson.

CRUISER BALTIMORE

STARTED FOR SAN DOMINGO LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT NEWS, Oct. 31.—The cruiser Baltimore sailed last night for Puerto Plata, San Domingo, where she goes to protect American interests.

THE TERRA NOVA

TO SEARCH FOR THE DISCOVERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOBART, Tasmania, Oct. 31.—The Terra Nova, an auxiliary relief ship formerly a New Foundland whaler, has arrived here after a splendid passage. The Discovery, the Royal Geographical society's relief ship, is expected daily. Both vessels will start for the relief of the Discovery, the British exploring vessel, the first week in December.

SUNDAY SERMONS

TO BE PREACHED AT DIFFERENT CHURCHES TOMORROW.

ADVENT.

Grand Street, Rev. C. R. Crossett. Morning—"A Radical and Dangerous Change in the Faith of the Church." Evening, "I Must Become Better Before I become a Christian."

UNIVERSALIST.

First, Rev. C. E. Fisher. Morning—"The Light That Never Failed."

Grace, Rev. R. E. Greene. Morning—"Before He Suffered." Communion at noon. Union service with First Universalist church in evening.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. James M. Craig. Morning—"John the Baptist." Evening, Anniversary service of the Woman's Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. Scott F. Hershey of Boston.

METHODIST.

St. Paul's, Rev. George R. Dean. Morning—Communion and reception of members. Evening "Moral Insanity."

Worthen Street, Rev. James F. Allen. Morning—"The Present Profit of Christian Service." Evening, "Voices That Reach the Heart."

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews. Morning—"The Right Standard." Evening, "Three Advisors."

Bereau, Rev. W. H. Yarrow. Morning—"Does Religion Pay?" Evening, "The Tabernacle in the Wilderness."

BAPTIST.

First, Rev. Smith T. Ford, D. D. Morning—"That Men Might Not Perish." Communion. Evening, "Is the Christian Religion Trustworthy? If so, Why Are People Humbugged?" There will be a prelude on "Dancing parties under the auspices of the High School." Baptism.

Immanuel, Rev. Robert T. True. Morning—"Christ's Coming Reception and Rejection." Evening, "Serving Sin, the Result and Cure."

Worthen Street, Rev. A. P. Wedge. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening.

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First, Rev. Chas. T. Billings. Morning, "All Saints." Evening, Rev. Geo. Hamilton of Everett, Mass., will preach.

Free, Rev. George C. Wright. Morning, "Courageous Under Difficulties."

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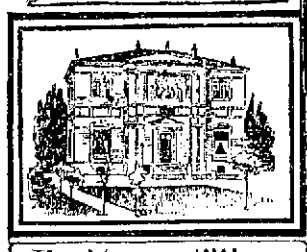
The Wagner-Conried Quarrel Over "Parsifal"

THE vigorous attempt on the part of Frau Cosima Wagner, widow of the great composer, Richard Wagner, to prevent the production in the United States of her husband's swan song, his masterpiece, "Parsifal," has, as might have been expected, had the result of directing the eyes of the musical world and of hundreds of thousands who are not musical to the little town of Baireuth, in Bavaria, the cradle of the Nibelungen Ring and the other famous chefs d'oeuvres of the lamented master. Whatever may be the opinion concerning the propriety of transferring "Parsifal" from its old world setting to the eager if less reverent audiences of the new world, the fact remains that Herr Wagner left this great religious opera as a heritage to the town in which he had made his home for so many of the closing years of his life and by his will decreed that it should never be produced outside of Baireuth. Small wonder therefore that Frau Wagner, remembering her husband's wishes, has fought tooth and nail to prevent the consummation of Herr Heinrich Conried's desires, angered at the thought that in the bejeweled society audiences of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York the religious atmosphere which has prevailed in old Baireuth may be forever lost. On the other hand, one can readily sympathize with the declaration of the manager of the Metropolitan Opera company that owing to the superior facilities for production and the higher grade of singers associated with him the wonderful symbolic piece will gain rather than lose by its introduction to the new world.

Those who have had the opportunity of attending the performances of "Parsifal" at the periodical music festivals of Baireuth bear witness that without doubt it is the most impressive opera they have ever heard. The very theme is conducive of reverence, and the manner of its production is such as to emphasize the religious element in its composition. In brief the story of "Parsifal" is as follows: A body of knights, of whom Amfortas is king, have devoted themselves to the guarding in a Spanish forest of the Holy Grail, the chalice from which Christ drank at the last supper and in which his blood was received on Calvary. Amfortas has been wounded by Klingsor, a magician, who, angered at having been refused admission into the ranks of this noble brotherhood, by magic created a great palace and peopled it with beautiful women, whose mission it was to seduce Amfortas and his knights. Amfortas himself was to be beguiled by one Kundry, who was momentarily successful, and it was at that time that Klingsor wounded the king and robbed him of the sacred spear which, it was said, had pierced Christ's side while he was on the cross. The wound refuses to heal, and a voice from the Holy Grail has told Amfortas that it will not heal until the spear has been rescued from the magician by a "guileless fool" who will come to cure the king.

Frau Cosima Wagner



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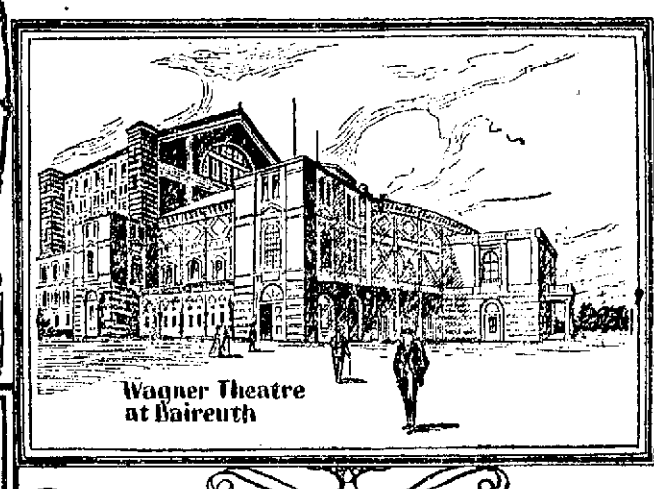

Wagner Theatre at Baireuth

Richard Wagner

Scene from "Parsifal"

The Wagner Library

Siegfried Wagner

The opera opens with Amfortas being carried in a litter to a lake to have his wound bathed. As he passes through a glade a wild swan, the bird sacred to the grail, falls dying before his litter, shot by Parsifal, the posthumous son of Gamuret and Herzeleid, a lad reared in solitude from his earliest youth and now totally unacquainted with the ways of the world. The knights seize Parsifal and bring him before Amfortas, who is informed by Gurnemanz, an aged hermit, that this may be the "guileless fool" prophesied by the voice. Gurnemanz takes Parsifal to the castle temple to witness the unveiling of the Holy Grail. So wonderful and impressive is the scene that the youth is awestruck into a silence which Gurnemanz mistakes for indifference. In anger he drives him out. In his subsequent wanderings Parsifal enters Klingsor's realm, where Kundry and a bevy of beautiful damsels try to tempt him to stay. Remembering the King's misery and the Holy Grail, Parsifal resists their allurements, and in anger Klingsor hurls at him the sacred spear, which, however, remains poised in the air. Parsifal seizes it, and castle, magician and maidens vanish. Eventually Amfortas is cured, and Kundry, the Mary Magdalen of the opera, is redeemed.

As will be seen, there is ample opportunity here for magnificent staging, and those who have witnessed the opera in Baireuth say that they have never seen such picturesque effects as those produced under the direction of Frau Wagner and her son, Siegfried, both of whom exercise an absolute dictatorship in the famous theater, which will accommodate about 1,400 people and stands on a little hill about a mile to the north of the town itself. It is a large red building, not very impressive architecturally, but towering above the trees that surround it. Hither while the music festival, which lasts from a month to six weeks, is in progress a great pilgrimage takes place. Unlike the custom in other theaters, the opera begins at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and those not in their seats when the curtain rises are given no opportunity of witnessing the first act. Upon the conclusion of this act there is a short intermission, and at the end of the second act an hour is given for dinner, which may be obtained at the two restaurants in the theater grounds. Many, fearing the crush at the restaurants, take sandwiches and cakes with them, and are at liberty to stroll at will through the beautiful groves about the opera house. The last act usually begins at a quarter past 8, and the spectators may be in their homes by 10 o'clock, though the great majority prefer to linger for supper after the opera.

The Germans, be it noted, take opera seriously and not, as do the generality of peoples, merely as a form of entertainment. Perhaps it is this more than anything else that contributes to the veneration with which the Wagnerian productions are received. When the first note sounds from the hidden orchestra a deep silence falls upon all present. From the beginning to the end of such pieces as "Parsifal" there is no applause, but the singers can feel the intense sympathy of their auditors and know that their efforts are appreciated. It is said that many of those present sit as if spellbound after the fall of the curtain and appear loath to leave the scene of their intellectual and spiritual treat. And this, it is added, applies to "Parsifal" rather than to any other of the magnificent works of him whom the people of Baireuth lovingly designate "the master."

Wagner's association with the ancient and time honored town of Baireuth dates from 1871. When he first visited it in that year he had an idea that the old opera house then standing could be utilized for the production of his Nibelungen trilogy, but on examination he found it unsuited for that purpose. Nevertheless the beauty of the environs so enchanted him that he determined to make Baireuth the home of his future music. The theater which he succeeded in establishing owed its being largely to the generosity of Ludwig II. of Bavaria, the monarch who ultimately became insane and committed suicide. The corner stone was laid in 1872, and the building was completed in 1876, in which year the first festival took place.

As may be imagined, Baireuth is full of Wagnerian memories, and the old inhabitants tell many interesting stories of the composer, many of which have as their theme his hard struggle for existence, poverty having been the prevailing note in the famous composer's career. He died, it will be remembered, in Venice in 1883, but he was buried in the town he loved so dearly, in the garden back of the Villa Wahnfried, the house wherein he had spent not a few of his happiest hours. Many a visitor to the festivals lays a floral tribute upon his grave.

Two other names are inevitably associated with Baireuth, Franz Liszt and Jean Paul Friedrich Richter. Wagner's brother composer, to whom he owed so much in the way of encouragement and financial assistance, is buried in the Baireuth cemetery, not far from the last resting place of the poet Richter, of whom we find pleasing reminiscences everywhere in Baireuth. For nearly a quarter of a century Jean Paul made his home in this quaint, old fashioned town, and opposite the gymnasium stands the monument to him erected in 1841 by King Ludwig I. The sculptor Schwanthaler succeeded in a wonderful way in incorporating in the figure of Jean Paul the genius of the poet of whom it has been said, "His dreams were full of springtime and his springtimes full of dreams."

Frau Cosima Wagner, who has continued the music festivals inaugurated by her husband, is a daughter of Liszt and was first married to Hans von Bulow, from whom she secured a divorce. Nor was she Wagner's first wife, the composer having been married to an actress, Wilhelmine Planer, from whom he separated after having lived with her for twenty years. Frau Cosima was idolized by Wagner, and that she reciprocated his love is the testimony of all who knew them in the old days. Tall and Oda, with an aristocratic bearing, she is withal a keen business woman and is assured of an ample income by the royalties from her husband's operas. Their son, Siegfried, is a musician of no mean ability. Indeed, he is acclaimed by many as a musical genius, but there is none rash enough to place him in the same class as his father. He is thirty-four years old, unmarried and noted as a conductor of his father's works.

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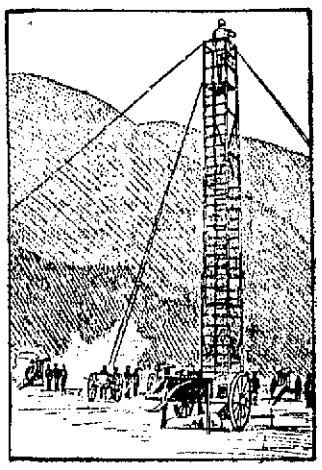
A COLLAPSIBLE TOWER FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

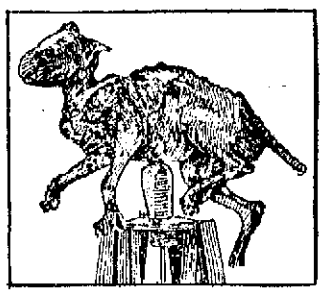
Owing to the nature of the country in which it makes its home the Swiss army experiences a great deal of difficulty in securing satisfactory artillery practice. The trouble has been overcome to a large extent, however, by the



use of high turrets, similar to that shown in the illustration, whereby an observer is enabled to note the accuracy of the artilleryman's aim at a target located amid distant mountains. The towers are strong, but light, and so constructed that they will telescope, thus being moved easily from place to place.

A MUMMIFIED CAT.

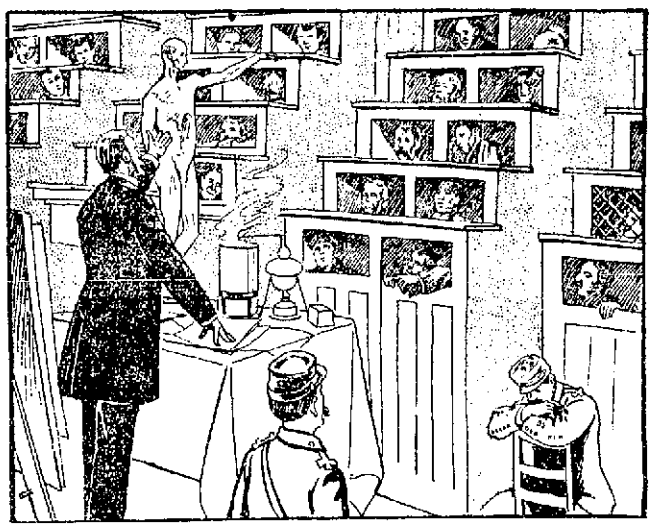
When the British war ship Menelaus was broken up the workmen were amazed to find in the side of the vessel the mummified cat shown in the illustration. The war ship was built at Plymouth in 1808, and it is supposed



that while she was being built the unlucky feline, pursuing a rat, jumped between the lining and the outside planking and was wedged there. This unique specimen of mummification is now in the hands of the British customs authorities, but will probably pass ere long into the custody of some museum.

INTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

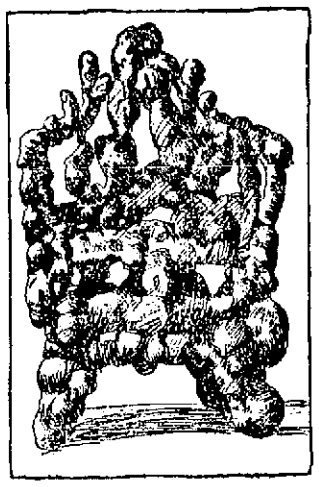
THE LECTURE ROOM OF A FRENCH PRISON.



Many remarkable things come out of France, and not the least remarkable is depicted by the accompanying illustration. In accordance with the plans of a recently formed "society for lectures and discussions in prisons," the authorities of the prison of Fresnes have fitted up a unique lecture room wherein the involuntary guests of the state listen to some entertaining and, let us hope, instructive addresses on drink and kindred evils. As will be seen, the unhappy auditors are confined in boxlike arrangements with but an opening sufficient for them to peer through and so arranged that no prisoner can catch a glimpse of his fellows. The box on the right with the wired aperture is evidently for the accommodation of some criminal more dangerous than his mates. The prison of Fresnes is famed as being not only the largest in the world, but the most hygienic. It is there that the Humberts are confined.

A CHAIR THAT GREW.

The peculiar formation shown in the accompanying illustration is composed of a vine that grows in Korea and which as it grew from the earth was continually bent by the natives to form the chairlike shape which it has assumed. The knobby excrescences were

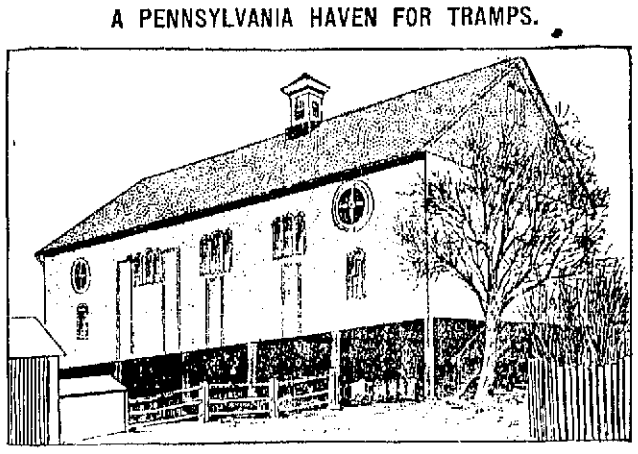


the result of the planting of seeds in the vine. Enthusiastic horticulturists declare that this is one of the most remarkable vegetable freaks in existence. It certainly bears mute testimony to the love of the bizarre which is a characteristic of the people of Korea as well as of those of Japan and China.

HOW THE CHINESE FIGHT THE PLAGUE.

That civilization has a great deal yet to do in China is made manifest by the accompanying illustration, wherein a party of Hongkong Chinese are to be seen engaged in trying to frighten away the devil which they hold responsible for the existence of the plague in their city. Hundreds of Chinese form in procession and make the night hideous with an incessant din produced by yells, gongs, bells, firecrackers, cymbals and all manner of odd looking red instruments. Even the better classes, men of business whose families have for over half a century come into constant contact with the civilization and religion of the west—take part in these processions. Small wonder is it in view of such conditions that our missionaries find their task in the distant inland cities almost beyond execution.

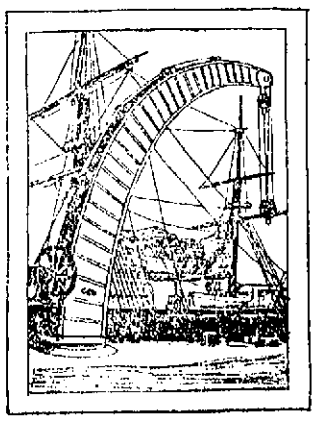
A PENNSYLVANIA HAVEN FOR TRAMPS.



It is not generally known that "hoboes" consider Pennsylvania the most friendly state of the Union, and particularly that section of Pennsylvania which embraces the lower end of Berks county. This part of the state is settled largely by German-Americans, with whom hospitality is the general rule. Of the many who give food and lodging to passing "Weary Willies" none is better known to the tramp fraternity than is Jacob Hiestand, one of the prosperous farmers of the county. It is estimated that Mr. Hiestand's barn, a picture of which is herewith shown, has sheltered no less than 20,000 tramps. The lodging quarters are on the first floor, and here any tramp is welcome to spend the night, provided he will yield any matches or firearms which he may be carrying and which are returned to him ere he takes his departure in the morning.

A MAMMOTH CRANE.

The revolution during recent years in the construction and armament of war ships has necessitated a corresponding change in the equipment of the yards wherein these monsters of the deep are constructed and repaired. For one



thing, big cranes have had to be put in place to lift the heavy guns called for by war ship specifications. The crane shown in the illustration stands in a naval dock yard, of which it is a striking feature. It is said to be capable of lifting a weight of fifty tons, and it

MAKING A NEWSPAPER IN JAPAN.

Those acquainted with the progressive methods of little Japan will not find anything out of the way in the accompanying illustration, although they may be disposed to smile at the exaggerated imitation visible in this oriental newspaper office. The Japanese never do things by halves, as is apparent in the costume of the leading editorial writer, who has just entered the sanctum with the nidnidtour cigarette in his mouth. The heavily clothed gentleman in the background is presumably a subscriber who has come to enter a protest against some item of news displeasing to him. The editor in chief is to be seen talking animatedly to the foreman of the composing room, who is garbed in attire more picturesque than utilitarian. All in all, this Japanese editorial room is a [illegible] witness to the advance of western civilization.

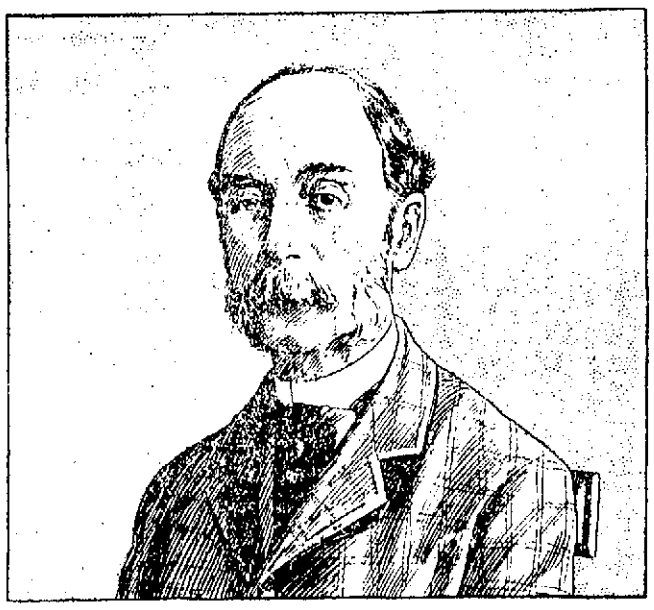
A CHARMING EUROPEAN PRINCESS.

There are few more popular princesses in the old world than the charming Bohemian Princess Pauline Metternich, a portrait of whom is herewith reproduced. She lives with her parents at

PRINCESS PAULINE METTERNICH.

the beautiful castle of Kontaswart, in the neighborhood of Marienbad. Now in her twenty-fourth year, the princess is a skilled linguist, an adept sportswoman with gun and rod and a violinist of no mean people. Her parents are Prince Paul Metternich, grandson of the famous statesman of the Vienna congress, and the Countess Mirach-Zichy of the noted family of that name.

THE FATHER-IN-LAW OF EUROPE.



KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK.

Herewith is reproduced the latest portrait of King Christian of Denmark, who has been dubbed the "father-in-law of Europe" owing to the fact that his children have married into reigning families of several of the great powers. One of his daughters is Queen Alexandra of England, who does not let a year pass without paying a visit to her royal sire. The photograph from which the illustration was made was taken at Vienna while King Christian was paying a visit to his son-in-law, the Duke of Cumberland.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY SPHINX.

Residents in the vicinity of Ightham, a village in Kent, England, have been puzzled by the appearance on the face of a large rock of a sphinx, which, as the illustration shows, is not a bad imi-

tation of the famed sphinx of ancient Egypt. The identity of the sculptor who executed this remarkable piece of carving has not as yet been established, although more than a year has passed since the rock was completed. The gigantic proportions of the new sphinx are shown by the diminutive appearance of the man in the foreground of the picture.

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C. H. Hanson & Co. have just received a carload of choice new milch and springer cows.

BULBS.

Now is the time to take care of bulbs. McManmon, the florist, has the largest and best assortment of bulbs to be found in Lowell. He is the only importer of these goods direct from the growers from France and Japan. He handles the kind that grow easily in any house and will cheerfully instruct you how to handle them.

The assortment consists of the leading varieties of tulips, hyacinths and daffodils in all colors, just the right kind for pretty flower beds that bloom in the spring. Call and see them at McManmon's, the Prescott street florist.

UNTIMELY DEATH

Miss Minnie L. Corr Passes Away

It was with the keenest regret that the many friends of Miss Minnie L. Corr, a brilliant young lady of St. Peter's parish, learned of her death last evening, which occurred yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Corr, 36 Cedar street. Deceased had been confined to her home with illness only a few months and though not of a serious nature, her condition gradually grew worse this week until yesterday, when the end came as peacefully as was her whole life.

Miss Corr was 22 years of age, a graduate of the Edson and High schools, the latter of the class of 1900, where in both she won the confidence of teachers and pupils as an exemplary scholar. Possessed of a gentle and loving disposition, coupled with her beautiful traits of Christian character, she endeared herself to all who came within the bounds of her acquaintanceship. A devout Catholic, she for many years was a Sunday school teacher at St. Peter's church, where again she was beloved and respected by all. On all sides are heard expressions of sorrow for the grief-stricken family, for in a short space of time death has removed from the household, where once all was sunshine, a beloved son and a devoted daughter, Leo Corr having passed away just six weeks ago yesterday.

The soul of amiability, Miss Corr made many friends wherever she went, and the cutting off of such a young and useful life while yet in the bloom of womanhood with bright prospects for her eventual success, is deeply mourned by all and her loss may well be termed irreparable. She is survived, besides her father and mother, by one sister, Miss Maud Corr. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community in this their hour of sorrow.

Funeral will take place at 8.30 o'clock Monday morning.

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MURPHY'S GOAT

Scheduled to Win 2.24 Pace at Nashua

By Associated Press to The Sun

NASHUA, Oct. 31—The fourth day's racing at the Fair Grounds wound up the customary thirteen heats and left two races unfinished. The latter have a tendency to change during the night, and a winner turns up from an unlooked quarter the next day.

The 2.20 pace was expected to require one more heat to make Glenmeda take first money, but Worriment won three heats before any one knew what was doing. Glenmeda acted like a different horse, and the judges finally put up Payne to drive the last heat, but the mare was all in and could hardly last the mile out. Online, Jr., won fourth money and did not have to go in the last heat at all.

The 2.14 pace had all kinds of favorites, Nancy Allen, Chum Boy and Celia having a heavy following. An exceedingly dark horse, Ohio M, won the event in straight heats, without any trouble, Nancy Allen taking second, while Chum Boy was outside the money.

The 2.24 pace had as a starter Argue, from the Cox stable, that won a clever race on Tuesday, and took the first heat yesterday, but Cox had to come to a drive to stall off The Goat, belonging to Richard Murphy of Lowell, right at the wire.

In the second heat Argue made a break on the first turn and couldn't make up the lost ground. The Goat stepped around Ringewood in the stretch and cut his mark to 2.19¾. This race was then postponed.

The 2.20 trot was won by Kitty Wilkes, the only mistake she made being in the third heat, which was won by Jimmy Michael, who was equal to her in speed, but went to a break at critical stages.

The 2.18 pace went only one heat and was won by Lady Vleser in 2.17¼. The King horse showed a deal of speed, but had a tendency to make bad breaks.

SPECIAL WRINGER SALE.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are offering some attractive bargains in Wringers. It will pay every housekeeper to visit this sale.

LUCKY "JIM"

MEERSCHAUM PIPE PRESENTED TO MR. McCARTHY.

"Jim" McCarthy, who is supervising the work of painting the gasometer at the Lowell Gas Co., was agreeably surprised yesterday, when he received a handsome meerschaum pipe from his men as a token of their esteem. Mr. Thomas B. Murphy, in behalf of his fellow workmen, in a brief, but well chosen speech, presented the pipe and the recipient, although greatly surprised made an appropriate response, thanking them one and all and assuring them that their kindness would not be forgotten. "Jim" invited the boys to call on him at his home some evening and "bit the pipe."

CASTO THEATRE

For next week at the Casto, Manager Haynes will present the Hoosier Zouaves, 17 men, who were the hit of the season at Hammerstin's Paradise Roof, New York City; the White Tscherkess Trio, a European novelty act; Ascott and Eddie, novelty dancers and acrobatic comedians; Pettingill and De Forrest, the kings of conversational comedy; McIntyre and Rice, in "Brannigan and the Leading Lady"; Cora Miskel and her pickaninnies; Al. Coleman, the mimical monologuist, and Lillian Shaw, the character comedienne. Reserved seats can be ordered by telephone 815-3.

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Important Notice to People Looking for Fancy Horses

One of the best known horsemen in the state of Maine, Mr. A. R. Stafford, will arrive with 17 high-classed horses, and will make his headquarters with C. F. Keyes, Green street. This lot of horses will be offered at private sale only, and they will be shown to the satisfaction of intending purchasers. They will arrive in Lowell at 10 o'clock, Thursday. They consist of matched pairs, short and long tails, 3 excellent combination horses in the lot, 4 excellent single horses, 3 very fast high-going, single cobs; the pairs are all thoroughly broken single and double, and without a doubt, this is one of the most expensive loads of horses ever shipped to Lowell. The horses are of a good size and good colors, and they are thoroughly broken. Mr. Keyes thinks that this is an excellent opportunity for parties at home to get a nice horse or a pair, because they can have every opportunity to see the horses driven to all the city objects. We invite all parties who are interested in high-classed horses to call at the stables and see this lot of Mr. Stafford's.

Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, at 4 o'clock

FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, A 3½ STORY BUILDING AND ABOUT 5315 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 474, 476 AND 478 MERRIMACK STREET, CONTAINING TWO STORES AND STABLE ON GROUND FLOOR, AND ABOUT EIGHTEEN ROOMS.

Longing to rid myself of that care and responsibility which confronts one in handling property, and also being about to leave the city in January, I have pledged this property for absolute auction sale to whomsoever will bid the highest. It is a substantially well constructed building, of two stores, Nos. 474 and 478 Merrimack street, a stable in the rear, with concrete driveway to same, and eighteen very fine rooms which are at present rented to one person. The total rental received at the present time is about $1320 a year, but has rented for much more than this, and should do so today, with the proper attention.

It is seldom the opportunity is offered the investor, to purchase down town property at the public price, but here it is, on the business side of our main street, where thousands upon thousands pass daily, almost opposite the Memorial building, so situated as never to decrease in value, for the population in upper Merrimack street, has increased 20 per cent. in the last ten years, and is still growing. So, if you want to invest where you are sure not to fail, then this is your opportunity.

The lot contains about 5315 square feet of land with a frontage on Merrimack street of about 56 feet. There are passageways on both sides of the building, which gives you easy access to the rear.

TERMS: $1000 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of ELIZABETH COSGROVE.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, THREE-STORY BLOCK OF TWO STORES AND FOUR TENEMENTS AT NOS. 218, 218½ AND 220 MIDDLESEX STREET.

Under no condition would I dispose of this parcel of real estate, for to me it is a fine paying property, but for reasons over which I have no control I must leave this part of the country for the west, so I am determined to sell, and feel that the best way to realize the most money is to put it up at public sale.

The property in question is a three-story building and about 2038 square feet of land situated on the southerly side of Middlesex street. There are two good stores and four tenements and pays at the present time about $672 a year, but with some slight alterations which I had under advisement this property should pay $1200 a year, for it is on one of the best business streets in our city, on a direct line to the railroad station, on the southerly side of the street where most of the travel is done, and is a property that is paying a fine percentage from the start on the price you will buy it for. The wise investor now-a-days centers his ideas on business property, for if any property shall increase in value it is that, so here we have it: well situated, good paying, in very fine repair, and sacrificed to you, who will get the full benefit of my unfortunate conditions, for I mean to make positive sale, if the purchaser complies with the terms.

TERMS: $600 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be read at sale.

GAGO K. ECHMALIAN.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 4 o'clock

TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 1050 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 30 AND 32 SOUTH STREET.

I wish to make a positive sale of this parcel of property, so I will advertise and sell to the person bidding the highest for it. I have not enjoyed the best of health the past few years and have been advised by a physician in order to regain my health, I must leave this climate, so that is my intention, and were it not the conditions, I would not think of selling it for it is paying me a very good revenue.

The house is a 2½ story building of two tenements and a store. The upstairs tenement contains five rooms, bath, hot and cold water and is a very neat tenement. The tenement in the rear has three rooms and the store in front is quite large and is well adapted for mostly any kind of business. It is situated on the easterly side of South street between Appleton and Middlesex streets, the last named street being one of our busiest thoroughfares. It is but a few minutes' walk to the several large industries north of Middlesex street, two minutes' walk to the postoffice and quite handy to all city wants. It will easily average $35 a month, and to one wishing a good sound investment, I should give this sale some consideration, for I must make positive sale on the day advertised.

TERMS: $300 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

SAMSON KAPRALIAN.

Thursday, Nov. 5, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

NINE HEAD OF FINE JERSEY AND ASYHIRE COWS AT THE WELL-KNOWN PRATT HOMESTEAD, MIDDLESEX VILLAGE.

As it is our wish to close our stables by the first of December, for this reason we have instructed the auctioneer to advertise and sell on the premises, regardless of the weather, this fine lot of cattle. They have all been raised on the farm and are an extra fine lot.

Full descriptions will be given at the time of sale.

TERMS: Cash.

By order of MRS. C. M. PRATT.

Saturday, Nov. 7, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

ON THE ABOVE DATE I WILL MAKE AN ABSOLUTE SALE OF MY COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 1643 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 49 JEWETT STREET.

My only reasons for so doing are, that I have recently purchased a place in the country where I intend to move, so in order to meet the obligations connected with same, the sale will be made positive, regardless of any condition of the weather. The house consists of eight well-lighted, airy rooms, it is piped for gas, has the best of sewerage, is well located on the street, right on the square at the pumping station, on a high elevation of the street and makes a cosy, neat little home. I am bound to sell for reasons which I have stated above, and the one who gets it will make a good buy. You're but a few minutes' walk to the electrics on Bridge street and in a very fine neighborhood.

TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off; other terms made known at time of sale.

D. J. SULLIVAN.

Saturday, Nov. 7, 1903, Commencing Promptly at 3 o'clock

HEIRS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE OF THE LATE WILLIAM MURPHY. FOURTEEN PARCELS OF PROPERTY, ON BOWDEN, COSGROVE, CHIPPEWA AND SARATOGA STREETS.

In order to settle the estate of the late William Murphy, I will offer the several parcels of real estate described in th efollowing:

First Parcel—Cottage house and about 3500 square feet of land at No. 65 Cosgrove street. It contains seven rooms of good size, it is well located, being clustered with many other small homes, and where the occupants of each are the respective owners, and they take pride in caring for and beautifying their surroundings, so in making a selection for a small home, you make not a mistake in this neighborhood. The lot contains about 3500 square feet with a frontage on Cosgrove street of about 35 feet and has fine yard room.

Second Parcel—Cottage house and about 3500 square feet of land at No. 69 Cosgrove street. This also has seven rooms, good yard room all fenced in and adjoins No. 65.

Third Parcel—Cottage house and about 4300 square feet of land, situated at the corner of Bowden and Chippewa streets, being No. 59 Bowden street. The house contains seven rooms, has good yard room, concrete walk on Bowden street, a frontage of about 45 feet on Bowden street and about 95 feet on Chippewa street and contains about 4300 square feet.

Fourth Parcel—Cottage house and about 7700 square feet of land at No. 55 Bowden street. This is also a seven room cottage. The lot has a frontage on Bowden street of about 81 feet and contains about 7700 square feet.

Fifth and Sixth Parcels are two lots of land situated on the northerly side of Bowden street and contain about 5000 sq. feet each with frontages of 50 feet each on the street, they are well adapted for building purposes, have good size and are high and dry.

Lots 7, 8 and 9 are three lots of land situated on the northerly side of Saratoga street, each containing about 4000 square feet with frontages on the street of about 42 feet. Lot No. 7 is a corner lot, and in fact, they all are good building sites.

Lots 10, 11 and 12 each contains about 4100 square feet with frontages of about 41 feet and are situated directly opposite lots 7, 8 and 9 on Saratoga street.

Lots 13 and 14 are two lots of land, each containing about 2½ acres, situated to the south of Saratoga street and fronting on a 16½ foot passageway leading from Gorham street to the Thomas Egan place. They each have about 198 foot frontages on said passageway and are of very rich soil.

TERMS: $200 must be paid at time and place of sale on first, second, third and fourth parcels; the same must be done with $25 on 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12; and $50 on 13th and 14th. Other terms at sale.

JOHN W. McEVOY, Attorney for all the Heirs.

Monday, Nov. 9, 1903, at 4 o'clock

THIS EXCELLENT PIECE OF REALTY, THREE STORES, SIX TENEMENTS AND ABOUT 6884 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 79 TO 87 BRANCH STREET AND 35 QUEEN STREET.

I have for a long time wanted to release myself from the care of real estate, and the time has come when I think my wish will be realized, for I will place on the market for public competition, at the premises, this fine paying block.

It is a three-story building of the best construction, the foundation is very heavy and substantial, bricked pillars being used instead of the ordinary postings. The cellars are all cemented and are all separated, with entrance to the yard in rear. There are three large stores, with large show windows, each store has its own furnace in basement for heating, they are well adapted for mostly any kind of business, they are situated in a largely inhabited part of the city and have every convenience of up-to-date stores.

The tenements are in flats, there are two of seven rooms and four of six rooms, they have all the modern conveniences, hot and cold water, electric bells, separate baths, gas lighting, and exceptionally well-constructed, wide piazzas in rear, for drying clothes, connected from top story to ground, there is also an ash shute in rear from top story to a bricked pit on ground. It rents for about $1740 a year. The entire surface about the building is all concreted, also a fine driveway of the same material to rear of stores from Queen street. There are two entrances to the tenements on Branch street, the stair casings are wide and commodious, the flats entirely separate, and are modern and cheerful in every respect. It is well situated in an excellent neighborhood, where it can always command good rents, a double track electric service passing the door every few minutes, and on a corner where you will never be crowded to darkness.

The lot contains about 6884 square feet of land with a frontage on Branch street of about 55 feet.

This is without doubt a fine site to place an investment, and I feel the purchaser, whoever it may be, will feel greatly rewarded for attending the sale.

TERMS: $1000 must be deposited to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be made known at sale.

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Sales for the Week Ending Nov. 7, 1903

Monday Forenoon at 10 o'clock

As Mortgagees, we shall sell without limit or reserve, to the highest bidders for cash, at Absolute Auction Sale,

The Extensive Aqueduct and Railroad Contractor's Equipment of Shanahan, Woolfolk & Company,

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as used in constructing sections 2, 3, 6 and 12 of the Weston Aqueduct, so-called, of the Metropolitan Water Supply System of Massachusetts, and, with the exception of the large Air Compressor Plant, now located on the premises and in the stables of C. L. Pierce, corner of Cross and Worcester streets, or opposite the railroad station, on the Fitchburg and Boston line and the Lowell and Taunton line, of the Taunton division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., at Framingham, Massachusetts, where the sale will take place.

Two McKiernan horizontal Corliss-Cross compound steam and Cross compound air type compressors, 36 in. stroke, with independent intercooler and two 150 h. p. horizontal boilers. The air compressors are beautiful pieces of machinery, designed and built in the best manner, with the idea of securing the greatest possible economy. They are housed where used, and for a nominal rental can remain until April 1, 1904. Four American Road Machine Co.'s 20 h. p. Ajax portable engines mounted on 25 h. p. Farquhar boilers. Gates' No. 12 portable stone crusher, 3 Champion No. 4 portable stone crushers, 2 cubical concrete mixers, 6 rotary screening plants, 28 force, diaphragm, rotary, centrifugal, duplex, single and Bulldozer pumps, by Douglas, Edson, Vanwie & Fitzgerald, Worthington, Myers, Knowles, Cameron, Deane, Blake, Carlin and others; 5 gasolene engines, by Church and Hamilton; Otto gas engine, small O. & S., Lawrence and vertical engines, Lidgerwood skeleton and hoisting engines, Headley and Atlas 20 and 25 h. p. engines and boilers; 15 h. p. upright boilers; Ames Plow Co. 1 and 2 horse sectional rollers; 65 ft. derrick, complete, 18 steam or air drills, by McKiernan, Wood and Rand, tripods, columns and weights, large lot of new parts for drills, 7 U. S. electric firing batteries, immense quantity of iron pipe, from 1 in. to 8 in.; lot of fittings and valves, 5 Stuebner steel cars, lot of railroad iron, from 12 to 40 lbs. to the yard; scrapers, skips, shovels, wheelbarrows, picks, bars, sledges, grub hoes, etc., etc., etc. Nine excellent horses, 14 first-class mules, 36 Old Hickory and Ames contractor's dump carts, 16 Kentucky and Old Hickory contractor's wagons, 5 follower carts, 2 runabout wagons, 1 trap, 13 sets good cart harness, 8 sets double team harness, 2 single driving harnesses, 2 riding saddles, all office furniture, camp housekeeping outfit, etc.

The sale will begin promptly at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, regardless of any weather conditions. The property will be on exhibition during the days of Oct. 30 and 31. All inquiries of any kind should be made at the office of the auctioneers, from whom a detailed catalogue of the property may be obtained.

UNITED STATES FIDELITY & GUARANTY CO. Of Baltimore, Maryland, Mortgagee.

Thursday Afternoon at 3 o'clock

THE VERY DESIRABLE AND VALUABLE "DOWN TOWN" OR "STREET" PROPERTY ON METHUEN STREET, BETWEEN JACKSON STREET AND APPLETON STREET, LAWRENCE, MASSACHUSETTS, KNOWN AS THE LAWRENCE GENERAL HOSPITAL ESTATE, HAS BEEN SURVEYED AND DIVIDED INTO THREE LOTS AND IS NOW PLEDGED WITHOUT LIMIT OR RESERVE TO THE HIGHEST BIDDERS AT ABSOLUTE AUCTION SALE.

The premises are practically in the very heart of the business centre of Lawrence, are within one hundred feet of the Post Office, are less than 500 feet from City Hall and the new Essex County Court House and Registry of Deeds; the principal business banks, savings banks, department stores, general mercantile business and newspaper offices of the city are all within a few hundred feet. All the trunk lines of electric cars pass within two or three minutes' walk of the lots.

Each lot faces Methuen Street and extends back to the fourteen-foot passageway running in from Jackson Street. The most westerly of the three lots also has a frontage on the twenty-five-foot street between Methuen Street and the passage way.

While real estate on Essex Street is worth a great deal more than on Methuen Street, it costs a great deal more in interest and taxes every year to carry it, and the difference in rentals will not make up for the difference in cost. There are many businesses for which either lot of the hospital realty is just as good and the saving in interest and taxes will make a business profitable. Again as Lawrence grows and prospers there will not be room in this very central district for all who desire to locate on Essex Street. Essex Street frontage will become so valuable that business men will be compelled to seek room for growth and extention in the rear, rather than along the expensive front, by bridging over or tunnelling under the passage way in the rear to the cheaper and less expensive property on Methuen Street. This is no more than has been done in all the larger cities of New England. There are half a dozen examples of it in Lowell between Merrimack and Middle Streets. The Essex Street lots being so shallow, only 80 feet, it will come sooner than you expect. It cannot be but a few years judging from the last twenty, before property in this section of Methuen Street will be as valuable as that on Essex Street is today. With proper improvements it will pay handsomely while you wait. Only a few years ago land on Essex Street sold for $2.25 a square foot and the same land has sold within twelve months for $5.25 a square foot.

This sale will take place on the premises, regardless of any conditions of the weather, on Thursday, the 5th day of November, 1903, commencing promptly at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Lot 1

The large, substantial, three story and basement brick building with gravel roof, and 4911 square feet of land, numbered 131 and 133 Methuen Street.

There are twenty-seven rooms, including the two large rooms used as the men's and women's wards; also four bath rooms, seven toilet rooms, laundry, storeroom, three pantries, passenger elevator, dumb waiter, six open fireplaces, large refrigerator built in, front and rear stairways, system of ventilation, remarkably large number of closets, hot and cold water all over the building, hard wood floors throughout, and the whole heated by a good steam plant. The lot has a frontage of 63 feet on Methuen Street, and the same on the passageway in the rear; also 78 feet on the 25-foot street on the westerly side. Every foot of the land is available for improvement.

Lot 2

2808 square feet of land between lots 1 and 3. It has the same frontage 36 feet, on street and passageway; is level up above the grade of the street, with stone wall in front and rear.

Lot 3

The two story brick building with gravel roof, and 2808 square feet of land, numbered 125 Methuen Street. It has nine rooms including large play room and dormitories; also two bath rooms, laundry, pantries, and toilet rooms; has hot and cold water upstairs and down; closets, front and rear stairs and storerooms; and is heated throughout by a new steam plant. The lot has a frontage of 36 feet on Methuen Street and an equal frontage on the passageway in the rear. Every foot of this lot is available for improvement.

Terms: The purchaser of lot one must deposit with the Auctioneers $1500 just as soon as struck off; the purchaser of lot two $500 and on lot three $750, one half of the purchase money, and possibly two-thirds, on either lot, can remain on mortgage with interest at rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

The buildings will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on the day of sale, or before upon application at the Children's Home. Small plans of the estate may be had at the office of the Auctioneers, upon application by mail or otherwise; or at the Children's Home.

The Children's Home (lot 3) will be sold subject to the right to occupy it, as now used not longer than May 1st next. The Ladies' Union Charitable Society agrees to pay the new owner fair and reasonable rent for the same until vacated by the society. The entire estate will be sold under the restriction that no part of the property shall be used for hospital purposes within twenty years from the date of sale.

WALTER E. PARKER, Chairman Advisory Board.

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POISONED

Former Nurse at Tewksbury Hospital Makes Charge

More About Affairs at the State Institution — Carelessness is Charged Against People in Authority—One Inmate Fell Into Open Fire Place

"How did the report of poisoning of eleven patients at the state hospital in Tewksbury reach the public?"

This question is uppermost in the minds of the people of Tewksbury at the present time. The fact that the inmates were poisoned does not give rise to the least little bit of surprise in the town where is situated the state almshouse.

The state hospital management has the reputation of keeping things quiet and the people familiar with this fact are wondering how happened the slip up this time.

There are those who have acted in the capacity of nurses at the hospital who aver that drugs are carelessly handled at the state hospital. One young woman whose almost physically ruined life bears testimony to the truth of this assertion, was seen by a Sun reporter today.

MISS MEERS' STORY.

The young woman in question is Miss Agnes Meers of Tewksbury. In 1896 she was in the hospital training school and one afternoon she was taken sick. Dr. Howard had charge of the hospital at that time and he was assisted by Dr. Ranney. The latter prescribed for Miss Meers. She was given a box full of powders and the nurse who attended her was told to give her a powder every fifteen minutes.

During the night she was taken violently sick and before daybreak she became unconscious. Six hours elapsed without a doctor visiting her and when he did call around he gave her some hot water to drink. She says she drank about two quarts of hot water before she vomited.

GIVEN WRONG MEDICINE.

The trouble was that she had been given wrong medicine. Every powder in the box contained five grains of mercury and altogether she took 100 grains. After regaining consciousness she says the first thing she remembers was that the doctor said to her: "You understand, Miss Meers, this was an accident." She also remembers that Dr. Howard said to Dr. Ranney: "She's out of danger now, but she will lose her teeth."

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

Local forecast: Fair tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness; light, variable winds.

The effect of the poison on Miss Meers was very disastrous both from physical and mental view-points. The poison so acted upon her nerves as to effect her reason and five months followed that are almost blanks to her. She was treated at St. John's hospital. She was at that institution for five months and later she returned to the hospital at Tewksbury. She remained there less than a year, however, because of a nervous illness due to the poison in her system. Miss Meers is able to do a little light housework at the present time but she is far from being as strong and healthy as she was prior to her sad experience at the state hospital.

The Sun reporter found Miss Meers at her mother's home in Tewksbury Centre today. She was not loathe to talk about her trouble because she believes she should be compensated for the injury and necessary loss that she sustained.

Her mother put the case in a lawyer's hands and the complaint reached the state board of charity. A letter was sent to Dr. Howard, but the case never reached the courts. It was brought before the legislature by Rep. O'Brien last winter and Mrs. Meers says that the question will be reopened this winter.

WAS POISONED TWICE.

Miss Meers was poisoned twice, she says, while at the institution. The second time, however, was not so serious. She was sick for a short while but recovered fully from the effects of the second dose.

During her time at the hospital, she said today, a nurse engaged in putting carbolic acid on the beds in the insane ward, left the bottle containing the acid on one of the beds. She also left the door to the ward, ajar, and while her back was turned an insane patient entered and swallowed the contents of the bottle. The insane patient was a woman and she died.

Miss Meers told another story that has never found its way to the papers until now. It concerned an insane women who fell into an open fire place. She was badly burned, but Miss Meers says that she does not know if her burns proved fatal.

When asked as to the moral status of the institution, Miss Meers said:

"I would prefer not to discuss that phase of the institution."

ABOUT INSANE BOARDERS.

Relative to the statement in this paper yesterday in which it was stated that insane patients were boarded out and that the state paid $3 a week for their board and that in the majority of cases the patients were working hard, Dr. Huntress said:

"It may be true that insane women are boarded out and that the conditions are as represented, but it is unjust to lay the blame at the door of the state almshouse administration. The state almshouse authorities have nothing to with it. The state board of charity has all to do about that."

DR. NICHOLS' LETTER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Dr. J. F. Lewis, superintendent of the state adult poor, received a letter today from Dr. John H. Nichols, superintendent of the state hospital at Tewksbury, on the subject of the recent poisoning cases at that institution. Dr. Nichols writes that the diagnosis agreed upon by his physicians at the hospital was that the belladonna had been administered through some mistake. He could not find, however, that any error had been committed in compounding or prescribing or administering medicine to the patients. The superintendent also said that Walter Fitzgerald, the aged inmate and supposedly one of the victims of the poisoning, died from heart disease 12 hours after the effects of the poisoning had passed away. His conclusion therefore was that the man died from heart disease alone and not from the effect of poison, if such had been given him.

NO NEW DEVELOPMENTS.

There are no new developments in the poisoning case at the state hospital in Tewksbury.

The committee appointed to investigate has not yet started in. Dr. Huntress said this morning that he would not be able to go to Tewksbury today and the committee will not be there.

Dr. Nichols has gone to Boston on business and the committee will inaugurate its investigation Monday morning. Relative to the report, as stated in The Sun, that a legislative committee would be appointed to investigate the poisoning case and the affairs at the hospital in general, Dr. Huntress said today that he did not believe there was any foundation to the report. If it was true, he said, either Dr. Nichols or the trustees would have received some official notification of it.

Thomas Smith, the nurse who had charge of the ward in which the poisoning occurred, is still on duty. Dr. Nichols says Smith will not be suspended or discharged unless crime or negligence is fastened upon him.

How did the poison get into the medicine?

Did it reach the medicine or was it in the water?

These two questions are very prominent in the investigation. Water from one of the pitchers was injected into a guinea pig for the purpose of ascertaining if it contained belladonna poison. It is understood that there was a little difference of opinion with the doctors as to its effect.

One doctor said he noticed a pronounced dilation of the pupils of the little animal's eyes, but the other doctor didn't notice it and the majority ruling it was decided that the water did not contain the poison.

Dr. Nichols places the utmost confidence in Smith. He has had charge of that ward for several months and the doctor says he is a faithful attendant.

The fact remains, however, that the poison reached eleven men of the fifty patients in that ward. They were the only patients in that ward for whom medicine had been prepared that night and the poison either got to the medicine or to the water.

The medicine and the water were on a tray in the medicine closet. There was belladonna in the same closet and while the sensationalist might paint a word picture of a murderous patient, nothing to enjoy the death struggles of his fellowmen, creeping from his cot in the ward to the medicine chest and extracting therefrom the deadly poison, pour noiselessly into the medicines or the water, and as noiselessly creep back to bed, this theory is highly improbable. Its only recommendation is that it is possible. The nurses say that there is not an hour in the night but that at least twelve of the fifty patients are awake. If that is so it would be pretty hard for a man to leave his cot and distribute poison in eleven different medicines, even though insanity might and to his cunning, without being detected.

Mr. Smith is positive that the medicine chest, or closet was locked. He was absent from the ward for several minutes at a time and if the closet was open during his absence it would open the possibility for a patient to do the trick. All of the patients were cross-questioned by the doctors Tuesday morning and they all professed innocence of the affair. Mr. Smith was examined and he too declared that he was not responsible and he couldn't throw the least bit of light on the attempt at murder. None of the patients were known to have a grievance and consequently, in the absence of a motive, there was no room for suspicion. It may be that Thomas Smith used the belladonna by mistake, but as the medicines were all different it could hardly happen that he would make the mistake all around.

The committee appointed to investigate has not yet done anything of any consequence. A few inquiries have been made, but the solution to the mystery is as far away as ever. Although the committee has taken the matter in hand the real inquiry will be made by Drs. Nichols and Drake. They will have to search for the motive and then for the criminal.

The committee is satisfied, as is Dr. Nichols, that it was not a mistake. If they can prove exclusive opportunity on the part of the nurse, Mr. Smith, it will be up to him to pull himself out of the hole.

This investigation will not be a whitewashed one. It will have to be thorough for the people interested in the case including the relatives of other inmates, are up in arms and the desire to have the matter sifted is universal.

The Sun has already stated that ugly stories are being told relative to the hospital management past and present. There may or may not be solid foundation to all the stories told, but they are in circulation and when anything of a serious nature, such as the poisoning case, occurs the stories are revived and the alleged blackness of the institution's past looms up in all its horrible detail. The latter investigation is fresh in the minds of the people and it is well known that it is much harder to reform an institution than to reform a man.

In justice to Dr. Nichols it can be stated that those who have come in close contact with him hold him in high regard. They say he is a conscientious man, in love with his work. A woman who served as a nurse in the insane ward under Dr. Nichols was seen by The Sun reporter last evening. She said: "He is one of the most conscientious men that I ever met. While I will admit that it is possible for things to go amiss in the institution unbeknown to him, I am sure that he would not tolerate any wrong doing. He was very strict and as well fitted as a man could be for his position. I am sure that he will investigate this affair thoroughly and impartially."

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SERIOUS CHARGE

Westford Man Arrested in Lowell Today

George E. Sherman, aged 38 years, a Westford farmer, was arrested on Middlesex street by Inspector Walsh this afternoon on a charge of carnal abuse of his 14-year-old stepdaughter, Maud E. Smith.

He was arrested for the Westford officers and will be taken to the Ayer Junction lockup by them this evening as Westford comes under the jurisdiction of the Ayer court.

A year ago Sherman married Emma Smith, who has one daughter, Maud, aged 14, a pretty and well-developed girl, by a former marriage and all three have since lived on a farm in the south part of the town. Last night Sherman took a wagon and started away from the house to get a load of wood, taking the girl with him to help him load on the wood. Upon arriving at the woodpile it is alleged that Sherman committed the felony as alleged, threatening the girl with due vengeance if she informed her mother.

The girl did not get an opportunity to speak to her mother until this morning when they drove into this city. The mother immediately went to the police station and made the complaint with the result that Sherman was arrested as soon as he appeared in town.

THE GLAD HAND

Was the Downfall of Harry Percival

"Hello, Jack; how's the boy? Have you got a dime on you?" cried Harry Percival, formerly of the navy, Lowell and other places as he extended the glad hand to Inspector John Walsh at the corner of Green and Causeway streets in Boston today.

Harry had been away from Lowell for a long time, and the sight of even a "cop" did his heart good.

"Hello, Harry," replied the inspector grasping the proferred hand. "I'm glad to see you. I've got two warrants for you."

Poor Harry's face fell and his hand attempted to fall but didn't for the inspector held it. He thought that the two little complaints against him in Lowell for larceny had long since been forgotten. But the police never forget such things and it was all off with Harry.

Percival decided to return to Lowell at once and all the way up on the train he was damning his luck for having braced the inspector who didn't have him in mind at all when he rushed up to him with the smiling hand.

Percival is wanted here for larceny of tools and a coat and vest.

BRUSH FIRE

GAVE THE DEPARTMENT A LONG RUN TODAY.

An alarm from box 235 shortly before two o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively brush fire at the foot of Bowden street and near the railroad track of the Boston & Maine railroad. The damage was slight.

The peculiar thing about this fire is that yesterday afternoon about the same time there was a fire in the same place. It looks very suspicious and there is little doubt but that mischievous boys set both fires.

MR. G. NAJAR'S OPINION

OF THE ARMENIAN EDITOR ARRESTED IN BOSTON.

Mr. G. Najar, the Armenian fruit dealer of East Merrimack street, says he does not believe this Krikorian arrested at Boston in connection with the London murder had ever been in this country before his coming on the Ivernia.

LOCAL SYRIANS

DENY THAT THEY FORMED A CLUB.

Members of the local Syrian colony deny that any organization has been formed in this city. There are 150 Syrians in Lowell and they have not banded together in any social organization.

The Syrians object to the statement that they are connected with such an organization as was reported to have been formed at 38 Suffolk street recently.

WHIST PARTY.

A delightful whist party in aid of the choir of the House of Prayer was held Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collins, in Gold street. There were about 20 tables, and after several hands were played, suitable prizes were awarded, the winners being Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Crawford. The scorers were the Misses Ruth and Louise Collins, Maude Ince Lannon and Lillian Noyes.

Mr. E. K. Atwood of Bridge street has recovered sufficiently from her recent illness to be out and about.

INFERNAL MACHINE

Was Sent to Editor of an Armenian Paper

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—Another chapter in the series of Armenian plots which are said to surround the assassination of Sagatel Sagouni in London this week, was announced by the police today when they issued a statement that an infernal machine was sent last night to Peter Kureghian, the editor of Young Armenia. Because of the suspicions of the landlady of the house, where the editor lives, it did not do the deadly work for which it was undoubtedly destined. The police were called in and the machine was destroyed before it could explode. Editor Kureghian is the man who was wounded last summer by a fellow Armenian and his paper is the organ which has been attacking the New Huntschagist party of the Armenia revolution committee for its alleged appropriation of funds for the committee.

The instrument was left at the lodging house of the editor on West Concord street at 7 o'clock last night. It was left by a man who, from his appearance, those who saw him say, was an Armenian. The machine consisted of copper wires, a time clock and some carbons, connected with a heap of steel filings and gun powder. The dial on the clock showed that it was fixed to explode at 9 o'clock, two hours after it had been deposited at the Kureghian house. The elevator boy received it at the door from the stranger and he at once turned it over to Mrs. Foss, the landlady. She noticed the wires and the clock and remembering the threats against the life of her lodger, telephoned for the police. A patrolman soon arrived, pulled the machine apart and carried the clock work section of it away with him.

The police have a good description of the bearer of the infernal machine, furnished them by Eugene Raymond, the elevator boy. They expect to make an arrest in the case. The boy says that the stranger left the machine tied up in paper with instructions to give it to Kureghian.

Editor Kureghian is a member of the old Huntschargist party, of which Sagouni, who was slain in London, was the chief. Vahlan Krikorian is now lodged at the Charles street jail charged with political murder in killing Sagouni.

A LIGHT DOCKET

Before Judge Hadley This Morning

One drunk, Patrick M. Callahan, was taxed $6 today, the only drunk.

Harris Vonitos, the young Greek who "touched" his father's trunk, was sent to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Charles H. Lovecraft, who was sentenced to the house of correction several days ago for larceny, and who appealed, withdrew his appeal and now stands committed for seven months.

James Grifin and Amadee Smith, "Puritan hop beer sellers," pleaded guilty and were fined $50 each.

Patrick McAndrews, keeping a liquor nuisance, pleaded guilty and was fined $50.

Mieki Bryda, who stole $50 from his sweetheart, Kejdy Jurumaute, came before the court again. A woman friend from New Bedford was in court to help out Mieki and endorsed a note for $50 for him to be paid over to Kejdy. Meanwhile Mieki will remain in jail until he pays the costs of court, which amounted to $15.

Edward Richard and Felkina Correia, fornication, were discharged.

The case of John, John W. and Lawrence Scully and Michael Grogan, assault on Thomas Kelley, was continued until Nov. 11. This is the fifth time the case has been put over, and is made necessary owing to Kelley's condition, he being still in the hospital with a broken leg.

James P. Doherty, breaking glass, was continued in $200 until Tuesday.

U. S. BUNTING CLUB

Elects Officers for the Ensuing Year

At the annual meeting of the U. S. Bunting Cricket and Athletic Association, held in Spinners' hall, last evening, the following officers were elected for one year: President, John Crawford; vice-president, Robert Birtwistle; corresponding secretary, Henry E. Richardson; financial secretary, Thomas Robinson; treasurer, Joseph Senior; auditors, W. Nelson, A. Watson; trustees, Joseph Ramsley; A. Thompson; board of government, Michael Duggan, Frank Robinson, Robert H. Cudworth, Ed. Nelson, James Hindle, Joseph Schofield and Edmund Saxon.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1903.

Population, 101,959; total deaths, 23; deaths under five, 9; infectious diseases, 2; acute lung diseases, 4; diphtheria, 2.

Death rate, 11.73 against 14.28 and 16.32 for previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported for the week ending October 31, 1903—Typhoid fever, 4; scarlet fever, 14; diphtheria, 4.

BOARD OF HEALTH.
H. H. Knapp, Agt.

DEATHS

FOX—Ellen T. Fox, aged 48 years, died at his home in Drucut this morning. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, four sons, Alfred, Lester, Clinton and Grover, and two daughters, Hattie and Stella.

LOSS IS $20,000.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WENHAM, Mass., Oct. 31—A loss of $20,000 was caused early today by fire which burned to the ground the house on Main street, owned by George H. Tilton of Boston, and used by him as a summer residence.

MELLEN ELECTED PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—At a meeting of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company, today, Charles S. Mellen was elected president of the company.

ELEGANT HOME

Lieut. Brosnan Has Beautiful Residence

Lieut. James E. Brosnan gave a house warming at his splendidly appointed home in High street Thursday evening. The house is a spacious one, but it was none too large for the friends of the popular lieutenant. Among the very first guests to arrive were Mayor Howe and his secretary, Edwards Cheney, and before 9 o'clock every room on the first floor of the modern residence was crowded. Many of the city's most prominent men were present and several who found it impossible to attend the housewarming sent substantial greetings to Mr. Brosnan and family. Mr. Brosnan was congratulated upon the general appearance of his home. It is up-to-date from the cellar to the attic. The house is one of the prettiest and most artistically fashioned inside and out in the city. Mr. Brosnan was the recipient of many beautiful presents, including an elegant parlor set and a solid mahogany chamber set.

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The following attractive list of soloists has been engaged, subject to the engagements of the artists:

MRS. RUBY CUTTER SAVAGE, soprano; MR. PAUL SAVAGE, baritone, and MISS RUTH SAVAGE, pianist; all of New York.

MISS MAUD McCARTHY, violinist, of New York City.

MME. ROSA LINDE, contralto; MISS NELLY WRIGHT, soprano, of New York City.

HERR RUDOLPH KRASSET, solo violoncellist, the latest acquisition to the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

MR. FREDERICK MARTIN of Boston, basso cantante.

The original TEMPLE QUARTET of Boston and others to be announced later.

Desirable single seats to most of these recitals will be 50 and 75 cents. The first recital Sunday, Nov. 15.

THE SUN LATEST 5 O'CLOCK

DOWIE'S FATHER Is Crushed by His Son's Attack

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31—A dispatch from Essex, Iowa, says: John Murray Dowie, crushed by the attack made upon him by his son, John Alexander Dowie, says:

"The statement that I am not the father of John Alexander Dowie is the greatest myth ever uttered by the mouth of man. It is scandalous that my son should repudiate me after I have done so much for him. He is my son and was born in lawful wedlock. No one can deny it. The records may be had at the Great Register offices, Princess street, Edinburgh, Scotland. I have always lived a quiet, peaceful, Christian life and it breaks my heart to have this trouble come toward the end."

Judge Dowie, who is respected by the whole community, lives here in his little cottage. The resemblance between John Murray Dowie and John Alexander Dowie is so close that the father has often been taken for the son. The old man is growing feeble and the recent trouble has aged him greatly.

LIEUT.-GOV. SPOKE At the French-Democratic Rally

J. H. GUILLET, ESQ.

LIQUOR DEALER Held Responsible for Deed of Drunken Man

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Oct. 31—Judge Frank A. Milliken, in the Third District court here yesterday, established the somewhat startling proposition that a rumseller who sells liquor to a man who later stabs a fellow-loafer in the saloon is just as much amenable to the law for the action as the man who did the stabbing, and so he ordered Edward L. Killigrew, the keeper of the saloon; Pierce L. Blake, the man who was stabbed, and John P. Cunningham, the man who first started a row with the stabber, arrested.

Last Wednesday morning William H. Payne was one of several loafers in the saloon of Killigrew Bros., on Acushnet avenue, and got into an altercation with John P. Cunningham, both being the worse for liquor. Payne whipped out a pocket knife, whereupon Pierce J. Blake and the bartender interfered to hold Payne, who promptly assaulted Blake and plunged the knife into both of his shoulders. Payne was arrested and yesterday was tried in court. Killigrew, Blake and Cunningham were government witnesses and were thunderstruck when they found themselves beside Payne in the dock.

The court had heard all the evidence and arguments, and then ordered the three men arrested, and delivered himself substantially as follows: "I have no difficulty in fixing the blame in affairs like this one. The attendant results of these three men was a violation of the terms of a liquor license of a saloon kept by one Killigrew, where these men went, stayed, got drunk and created a disturbance. It is plain by the terms of the license, which provides that liquor shall not be sold to one who is known to be a drunkard, to an intoxicated person or to one who has been drunk within the space of six months, and that there shall be no disorder in the licensed saloon. Mr. Clerk, you may issue a complaint against one Killigrew for keeping a liquor nuisance." Then Judge Milliken had the criminal records of Payne, Blake and Cunningham looked into.

Judge Milliken continued: "Now I will proceed to the disposition of these cases. The primary cause of the trouble, as I have said, was in allowing Payne, Cunningham and Blake to come in and get drunk and create a disturbance and all three of these men with criminal records. All are to blame. Their drunkenness is no excuse for their commission of offense."

Payne, whose arrest brought all the parties into court, was then adjudged guilty, and he was let off with a fine of $25. Mr. Killigrew pleaded not guilty to the charge of keeping a common liquor nuisance and requested a continuance, which was granted and the defendant released upon his personal recognizance of $200. Both Blake and Cunningham pleaded guilty to the charge of disturbing the peace upon their arraignment. Judge Milliken considered that Cunningham was less at fault and fined him $10 and fined Blake $15. Both appealed.

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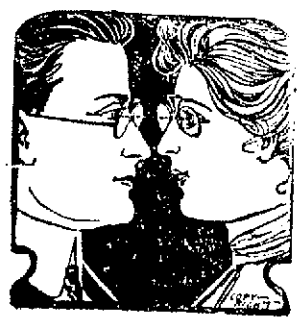

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JENNIE YEAMANS

HAS FILED A PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Jennie Yeamans, the actress, yesterday filed a petition in bankruptcy in the U. S. district court, setting forth liabilities of $5762 and assets of $150, representing her wardrobe. The principal creditors are Annie Yeamans, $2000; hotel Vendome, board, $800; Quincy house, Boston, board, $124; John Daniels Sons, $500; Mrs. C. L. Rich, board $300; Dr. Elmer E. Williams, $100; Dr. Alfred R. Cram, $27; Dr. H. B. Pettingell, $81; Herman L. Roth, attorney, $110; House, Grossman & Vorhaus, lawyers, $250.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1903.

22—Jason Fuller, 19, apoplexy.
23—John J. Wholey, 45, pulm. oedema.
Margaret Morris, 43, tuberculosis.
Mary E. Estabrook, 23, cystoma ovarinta.
Margaret Creegan, 10 mos., meningitis.
24—Mary E. Rogerson, 4, diphtheria.
25—Daniel G. Wilson, 46, bronchitis.
Mathew Johnston, 29, cirrhosis of liver.
26—David Taylor, 79, heart disease.
27—John McCarthy, 25, pericarditis.
Bertha M. Huntley, 21, septicaemia.
28—Irene A. Houle, 7 days, spina bifida.
Harriet Fabry, 61, gastro enteritis.
Marie V. Rourassa, 3 mos., bronchitis.
William Sullivan, 2 mos., bronchitis.
29—James Rogerson, 1 mo., diphtheria.
28—William F. Grady, 25, tuberculosis.
29—Ellen Dolan, 3 mos., enteritis.
William C. Dolan, 1 mo., marasmus.
30—Frank Adams, 2 mos., perinesis.
29—Hermenegilde Leduc, 54, poisoning.
29—William Connors, 55, nephritis.
John C. Parker, 57, suicide by gas.

GIRARD P. DADMAN, City Clerk.

If we lie, we contract debts that have to be met in future loss and unpleasantness. The publisher who lies about the circulation of his paper, not only injures himself, but attracts the average merchant to an atmosphere of injustice and falsehood.

Rousing Gathering of French-Americans at C. M. A. C. Hall Last Evening—M. J. Mahoney Among the Speakers

A rousing democratic rally with the largest crowd seen in the club house for a long time was held by the French American democrats of this city in L'Association Catholique hall, last evening at which the guest of honor and principal speaker was Hon. Adelard Archambeault of Woonsocket, R. I., lieutenant-governor of the state. French-Americans regardless of party turned out to do honor to their distinguished compatriot and in the large audience were noted many prominent French-Americans. A familiar figure conspicuous by his absence was J. L. Chalifoux, who only a few days ago made an eloquent democratic speech in Birmingham, Ala., where he is visiting his Southern business establishment.

A short street parade escorting Lieut.-Gov. Archambeault to the hall was held prior to the rally, the National band furnishing music, and upon arrival at the hall a brief reception was held in the drawing room of the clubhouse.

At 8.30 the speakers and vice-presidents filed upstairs and took seats on the platform, headed by Joseph Dextra, the "old war horse" of the French democracy. The others on the platform with Lieut.-Gov. Archambeault were J. H. Guillet, Esq., who presided; ex-Rep. Amedee Cloutier of Lawrence; Pierre H. Authier, Esq., of Webster; Alderman Joseph O. Authier of Cambridge, candidate for county treasurer; J. B. D. Jacques, Esq., of Salem, formerly of Lowell; Rep. Michael J. Mahoney, candidate for state senator; John J. McManmon, candidate for representative in the 25th district; John J. Pinder, candidate for representative in the 26th district; George E. Ward, candidate for representative in the 26th district; Purchasing Agent Rourke; Elzear H. Choquette; John T. Hendricks, candidate for representative in the 25th district; Robert F. Conroy, candidate for representative in the 26th district; Dr. Adelard Fayette; Adelard Landry, and Ernest Bernard.

The speaking for the most part was in French and that it was eloquent is judged by the frequent and general applause.

Mr. Joseph Dextra, who was the leading spirit in arranging the rally and a democratic hustler for years back, called the meeting to order and made a strong appeal for a big French vote on election day. If the French people would see their interests prosper, he said, they must shake off their apathy and get all out at the polls. He also spoke on the benefits of naturalization.

J. H. Guillet, who was introduced as the presiding officer, made a brief but ringing speech on the democratic party as the party of the men who toil for a living. He pictured the fact that the best interests of the working people are interwoven with the interests of the democratic party, the party of the masses.

He then introduced J. B. Q. Jacques and afterward Mr. Authier of Webster, both of whom spoke briefly in French urging their hearers to vote for the candidates of the people as found in the democratic ranks.

When the chairman introduced Michael J. Mahoney the audience gave the latter a royal welcome, the applause lasting several minutes. Mr. Mahoney spoke briefly in English. He thanked the French voters of ward six especially for the fine support they had accorded him in his contests for the legislature and asked the support of all the French-Americans on next Tuesday.

Robert F. Conroy was then introduced and he received a generous round of applause. Mr. Conroy pledged himself to work for better labor legislation if elected and the audience showed its appreciation of his sentiments in its applause.

John J. Pinder was warmly welcomed and he spoke briefly in English.

LIEUT. GOV. ARCHAMBEAULT.

Chairman Guillet then recalled the successful record of the French people in Rhode Island, who have representatives not only in the municipal positions and in the legislature, but can boast of one of their ranks in the second position in the gift of the state. The mention of Lieut. Gov. Archambeault's name was the signal for great applause, followed by three rousing cheers and a tiger. The lieutenant-governor in the beginning made a humorous reference to the republicans present, too hardened sinners, he said, to be converted even if the grace which works miracles existed in politics, which it does not.

He then quoted Napoleon's statement that a country is prosperous not only when it produced great quantities of things, but when these things were within the reach of the people. In this country with its vast resources and easy means of transportation we find everything so expensive that even beef is beyond the means of the poor working man. This condition of affairs is due solely to the fiscal policy of the republican party. The speaker placed the responsibility with the trusts and then explained the trust system in an intelligent and comprehensive manner, showing its deplorable effect upon the small dealers and working class. The democratic party would protect producers, but not to the extent of annihilating the small in the interest of the great.

The speaker touched upon the question of reciprocity with Canada in an interesting manner. The democratic party, he said, appreciative of the fact that Canada is the third best market, ranking after England and Germany as a field for Americans, saw the wisdom of keeping Canada on reciprocal terms with this country. But the republican party is maintaining a policy of exclusion with Canada and if this is continued Canada out of patience will rise up and pay back the United States in its own coin and a great market will be lost to this country. The spirit of paying the United States back by a Canadian exclusive policy is daily growing among the leading statesmen of Canada. Only the trust policy of the republican party prevents reciprocity with Canada becoming a fact.

In conclusion, the speaker expressed the hope that Massachusetts, as well as Rhode Island, would this year witness the victory of democratic principles.

Joseph O. Authier of Cambridge was the final speaker and the rally closed with cheers for Gaston, Archambeault and the entire democratic ticket.

Lieut. Gov. Archambeault was the guest over night of Lawyer and Mrs. Guillet at their home in Wentworth avenue. He will be the guest at dinner today of Dr. and Mrs. Payette, Dr. Payette being a former classmate of his at L'Assumption college, and both likewise having been born in the same parish, St. Paul L'Ermite, Que. He will return to Woonsocket this afternoon.

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ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Al Reeves' Beauty Show opened a two nights' and matinee engagement at the Academy of Music last night. This show was scheduled to arrive in time to open the house on Thursday night, but owing to a long jump from Ottawa it was impossible to arrive here before yesterday. Many of the patrons of the house were disappointed at seeing the house dark on Thursday night, but when they attended the performance last night they were well paid for their wait, for the Reeves' show is without doubt one of the best burlesque shows ever seen in the city. It includes an evenly balanced company of artists, a chorus of exceptionally fine singers, handsome costumes, beautiful scenery and grand electrical and mechanical effects, which go to make it the peer burlesque organization.

The performance opens up with an original skit in one act entitled "A Chinese Sunny Moon." The scene is laid in an opium den and while highly entertaining gives a very good description of life in the Chinese quarters and the effects of hitting the pipe. Fun of every description during the performance of the skit and the jokes and funny situations of the comedians keep the audience convulsed with laughter. During the progress of the first part many new dances and songs are introduced by the chorus and many changes in costumes made. Among the songs sung are "A Chinese Fairy," "Pretty Little Dinah Jones," "Cindy," "Roly Poly Sun."

The olio is a good one and well balanced. Van Der Kor, the only rival of Hermann and Kellar, gave many clever and interesting slight of hand performances, keeping the audience in a mystery all during his act. Andy Lewis and Company presenting the character creation entitled "The Tout," kept the audience convulsed in laughter, race horse slang being thrown around at will. It was received with vociferous applause by the audience.

Katherine Dahl, the highest salaried prima donna ever engaged in burlesque, rendered several solos in a manner which brought forth round after round of applause and the solo introducing the vested choir was by far the prettiest scene ever presented at the Academy. Little need be said of the Tossing Austins, for these two clever jugglers are well known to the public. They are stars of the first water and it is sufficient to say that their act last night was just as good as ever, if not a little better. Last, but by no means least, was the old-time favorite, Al Reeves, who played his banjo, sang songs, recited and dealt out conversation in such a manner that he received grand applause.

The performance closed with the original burletta entitled "A Merry-Go-Round." Many new songs were introduced and clever dances. Performances will be given this afternoon and evening at the Academy of Music and those who did not see the performance last night should not miss tonight's.

CITY COUNCIL

WILL MEET ON ELECTION NIGHT.

The city council will meet next Tuesday evening but as that date will be the evening of election day with returns pouring in, it is not likely that any business will be transacted.

Philip Hale

Writes the Musical Criticisms in the

Boston Sunday Herald

Next Sunday:

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WELL ATTENDED

Second Night of the Hallowe'en Festival

The second night of the Halloween Festival in aid of the Lowell Humane society was largely attended last night and many new faces were seen in the audience.

The grand success which was predicted before the affair started is being carried out to the letter and the attendances during the afternoons and evenings have been very large.

The stage performance last night was under the auspices of the Hallowe'en table and talent was furnished by the Casto theatre, and Miss Ida Marie Rogers, a Lowell young lady, who is at home in this city for a few days.

Jackson hall was the scene of a Hallowe'en picnic, with Mrs. Albert Pinder in general charge. The hall was dressed with evergreen trees so as to resemble a grove and the effect was a novel one. Fortune tellers were there to reveal the past, present and future and a hurdy-gurdy which was kept in motion almost continuously by the operator, made things lively. Those who cared to dance did so for there was no hindrance.

For visitors, who had a desire for confectionery, there were candy tables and the hungry ones were served in a room leading off the main hall. Everyone with a dime for admission was welcome and the corps of ladies in charge tried to make it an object that the patrons received more than their money's worth.

The Hallowe'en Festival closes tonight. This afternoon will be Children's Day. Patrolman John Dennett, who is one of the officers at the door, thinks this is going to be one of the greatest features of the whole affair. His countenance bore the smile that won't come off when he was speaking of Children's Day.

Prof. C. H. Wilson will give a sleight of hand performance and there will be fancy dances by Miss Josephine Ockington's pupils. General dancing to Hibbard's orchestra will follow.

At 5 o'clock Jackson hall will be the centre of attraction for it is there that supper will be served.

HELD RECITALS

PUPILS OF J. W. HILL ENTERTAIN FRIENDS.

The fifth recital by advanced pupils of James W. Hill was held at Middlesex hall last evening and was a grand success.

Mr. Hill opened the program with Greig's Sonata in E minor, Op. 7. Allegro—Adagio—Minuetto. The remaining numbers were by the three young students, and were as follows:

Murmuring Zephyrs.....Jensen-Niemann
Air de Ballet.....Chaminade
Mr. Charles G. Howarth.
Fantasie in G minor.....Godard
Allegro-Finale.
Miss Peabody.
Polish Song.....Chopin Liszt
Cantique d' Amour.....Liszt
Miss Little.
Tone Poem—In Olden Time.....Hofmann
Waltz in D flat.....Moskowski
Mr. Howarth.
Rhapsodie No. 6.....Liszt
Miss Peabody.
Grande Polonaise in E flat.....Chopin
Miss Little.

SPINDLE CITY WHEELMEN.

The Spindle City Wheelmen opened their social season last night by conducting a dancing party in Prescott hall. The bikers showed their friends that they were just as much at home dancing as they were in kicking the pedals. Kittredge's singing orchestra furnished the music for the dancing and an order of sixteen numbers was carried out.

The party was under the management of the following officers: General manager, P. A. Monahan; assistant manager, Oswald O'Heir; floor director, George E. Grady; assistant floor director, A. Bolton; chief aid, C. C. Tinker; aids, A. G. Foster, C. P. Foster, H. H. Furr, A. Duncan, C. Halstead, P. Kingsbury, P. Killey, V. Farrington, L. Mason, A. Hoyle, H. S. Royer, W. Dunne, H. Hamblett, R. J. Young; reception committee, Jack Everson, chairman; Fred Rourke, F. Baily, T. Brown, J. Boyers, W. Ireson, E. Soule, R. W. Eastman, Dr. Murphy.

JUMPED TRACK

Accident on the Electric Road at Billerica

One of the large vestibule electric cars on the Lexington & Boston line jumped the track as it was entering the subway under the railroad track in Billerica, about one mile from the centre this morning.

Though a number of passengers were on the car at the time, no one was hurt. The car was running slowly at the time.

As the car went off on a down grade it was very difficult to replace it on the rails and in order not to delay traffic the superintendent of the Lexington & Boston road telephoned word into this city to see if the Boston & Northern railroad would allow their motormen to run a mile beyond the centre until the derailed car was placed on the rails.

The local road agreed to allow their men to run on the Lexington line, provided that the starter at the centre would pilot the cars over the line between the centre and where the accident occurred.

NO QUORUM

COMMITTEE ON EXPLOSIVES FAILED TO GO OFF.

The committee on explosives did not meet yesterday, as was intended, as a quorum failed to put in an appearance at the appointed hour.

ESTIMATES ASKED

FOR BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE IN CENTRALVILLE.

The committee on education of the city council at its meeting last evening discussed briefly the building of the new grammar school in Centralville and after a brief consultation it was voted to instruct the chairman to secure estimates from the superintendent of public buildings on the cost of an eight, twelve and sixteen room brick building suitable for grammar school purposes.

The meeting was attended by the chairman, Alderman Gallagher, and Alderman Miskella, and Councilman Brown.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

LADIES' AUXILIARY HAD DANCE LAST EVENING.

The St. John's Ladies' Temperance Auxiliary of North Chelmsford held their first Hallowe'en party in the town hall, last evening, and a large attendance enjoyed it. Griffiths orchestra furnished music for dancing and the fun was kept up until midnight. Quite a number of Lowell people were present and they went home on a special electric car.

The officers were as follows: General manager, Miss Loretta J. O'Neil; assistant, Miss Sadie A. Leahey; floor director, Miss Minnie McManmon; assistant, Miss Clara J. McCoy; chief aid, Miss Mary Curry; aids, Misses Rose Connolly, Alice Riley, Nellie Ward, Katie Curry, Ida Murphy, Della Green, Hannah Cummings, Mary Curran, Maggie O'Connell, Alice K. McEnaney. Reception committee, Miss Rosanna McManomin, chairman; Misses Katie Coughlin, Mary O'Connell, Mary Cox, Maggie Curran, Elia Stanley, Roscila Monahan, Alice G. Leahey, Mary McGrath, Lizzie Cox, Mary McCluskey, Josephine E. McCabe, Frances McEnaney.

YOUNG SOLDIER ENLISTS.

Sergeant John S. Scott, a veteran of the Philippines and at the present time first sergeant of Co. M, 9th regiment of this city, is receiving congratulations and good wishes from his friends and comrades on the birth of a young soldier who arrived Wednesday night at his home 143 Bridge street.

A pure cream of tartar baking powder like Cleveland's, pound for pound, will raise twice as much bread, cake and pastry as the cheap alum powders and will give you good, wholesome food.

If housewives knew the bad effects of alum baking powder upon the system you could not *give* them a can. Yet some of it is sold every day because people think it is cheap.

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ON HALLOWE'EN

He looks in the mirror for his lady fair but sees instead his Nemesis.

HE WANTED WOOD

OLD MAN THOUGHT CITY WAS STILL IN THE BUSINESS.

An old man called at the office of Purchasing Agent Rourke this noon and placing one dollar on the counter, asked to have a load of wood sent to his address.

When informed that the purchasing agency was not in the wood business, this year, he seemed surprised and said: "I'm pretty sure this is the place where the poor people got their wood for $1 a load."

He was then informed that such had been the case last year, but as no wood famine existed this year the city had gone out of the wood business and he went away apparently disappointed.

PERSONALS

Frances Mitchell, formerly of the local high school, now a student at Norwich Military university, is in Lowell for a week's visit.

A party of friends of Mrs. Theodore Lussier gathered at her home, 86 School street, last night, the occasion being the observance of Hallowe'en.

Lieut. James Brosnan entertained his friends at his new home in High street, near Fort Hill park, Thursday evening and the hours were very pleasantly passed until morning. Mayor Howe was present part of the evening. The lieutenant was the recipient of substantial tokens that will remind him of the housewarming for many years to come.

Mr. Samuel Lawley, superintendent in the Boott mill, has resigned his position there to become superintendent of a mill in Louisville, Ky. Mr. Lawley saw thirty years of service in the Boott mills, working his way from the beginner's position to that of superintendent, holding all the time the love and respect of his fellow workers and the confidence of his employers.

Inspector Charles Laflamme has been called to Canada to settle a dispute relative to the boundary line of an Indian reservation on the St. Lawrence river. Charlie's great grandfather, it seems, owned tracts of land surrounding the reservation and the local inspector is in possession of the deeds and plans. He was summoned to Canada by the king's counsel at Ottawa.

The following Lowell people are booked through Murphy's ticket agency to sail from New York today on the White Star line steamer Arabic for London, England: Mr. John L. Vaselin, Alfred Toms, John Toms, Francis Benest, Clarence Benest, Thomas Conlon and Thomas McCann. On the Dominion line steamer Cambroman, from Boston, Mrs. Eliza Linehan and Mr. James Carley. Also from New York for New Orleans on the Southern Pacific steamer Proteus last Wednesday: Mrs. E. Ray and Miss Jennie Bennett. For Havana, Cuba, on the Munson line steamer from New York, Mr. George Turner.

THE RICHARDSON HOUSE.

The Richardson House, opposite the Middlesex street station, has passed into the hands of Thomas Hoban, proprietor of the Lowell Inn. It is understood that all papers will be signed and passed over today. The price paid for the property was $60,000.

It is more profitable to advertise honorably and fail in the attempt to get business, than to advertise dishonorably and succeed for a little while.

JOHN MITCHELL

Reported to be Seriously Ill at His Hotel

By Associated Press to The Sun

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 31—President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers, is reported to be quite ill at his hotel in this city and has broken several local engagements.

It is probable that he will be compelled to postpone his visit to New York and remain here several days on account of his weakened condition.

It is said that indications of appendicitis are pronounced. Consultations have been held by two physicians, but they have been unable to agree as to whether or not it will be necessary to operate upon the labor leader.

BUCK IS DEAD

FUGITIVE BANK OFFICIAL SAID TO BE A SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

MANKATO, Minn., Oct. 31.—The county attorney yesterday received a telegram from San Antonio announcing the suicide of a man thought to be Alfred A. Buck, the fugitive ex-cashier of the Mapleton bank, but a later dispatch threw some doubt on the correctness of the identification. It is said that Buck was seen in Seattle, Wash., less than a week ago.

Buck's embezzlement and flight was the cause of the closing of the bank of Mapleton.

POSTAL INVESTIGATION

INSPECTORS AT WORK IN NEW YORK OFFICE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Inspectors who are now investigating the general postoffice in this city are looking into the general management of the service, it is said, and do not expect to unearth any irregularities. Those engaged in the work have already spent considerable time going over data gathered in the investigation last winter and it is understood that the object is to escape information which will enable the department to make regulations to prevent any irregularities heretofore in that branch of the government service.

THE 25TH DISTRICT

A WORD IN BEHALF OF THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

The candidates in the 25th district are proceeding along quiet lines and there is every indication that the republicans will bump into a big surprise when the votes in that district have been counted.

Mr. McManmon came within 25 votes of election last year and is confident of winning this year. He has many assurances of success.

John T. Hendricks, another staunch nominee in this district, is a well-known member of the A. O. H., the Foresters, the Emmet club, and many other organizations. He has a strong backing and would make a good representative in the general court. He is employed in the health department and is quite popular among his associates.

Ex-Councilman Roarke, the third candidate in this district, has a strong claim on the voters of ward seven in having helped to put through the order for the Aiken street extension.

The voters should send all three to the legislature.

HOME AGAIN

JAMES P. WALSH RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL.

James P. Walsh, who for the past two weeks has been confined to a bed in the Carney hospital, Boston, as the result of a fall from a 60-foot staging, was discharged from the hospital yesterday and taken to his home, 161 Coburn street, this city.

Mr. Walsh's leg is encased in a plaster paris cast, while his shoulder is harnessed, but with the aid of his friends and a pair of crutches he got along all right. It will be some time before he can get around again, but he is on the mend and feels better at home.

THE MOSELY COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—After five days' visit to Boston and its vicinity, the members of the Mosely educational commission of England, numbering about 30, left here today for the west, most of them for Chicago. Alfred Mosely, chairman of the commission, probably will return to England in about three weeks together with the majority of the commissioners.

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"GRAFT" INQUIRY

An Organized Traffic in Girls

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31—The "graft" investigation has resulted in every saloon in the city closing promptly at midnight. The committee yesterday called on the police to turn in the names of all the property owners who rent houses for immoral purposes.

The committee has positive and direct evidence of money having been paid to the police for protecting vice of all kinds. Those who lure young girls to lives of shame have aroused the wrath of members of the committee. One of the affidavits read to the committee horrified the listeners.

A member of the committee related that it told in detail of an organized traffic in which girls hardly more than children were deceived into following procurers, and when once in their power were held as prisoners until they bowed to their fate. The condition afterward was one of practical slavery.

"I have lived in Chicago a long time," said Alderman Hermann, "but I never knew there was such depravity here. I don't believe Paris or London can equal some of the instances of which we have heard. The difficulty we face is in supplying the link necessary to prove the crimes in such a way as to send the criminals to Joliet."

STATE CHARITIES

MASSACHUSETTS STATE CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES.

The first Massachusetts state conference of charities will be held in Boston, Nov. 4, 5 and 6. The president, Carroll D. Wright, will open the conference at Huntington hall on Wednesday evening. After addresses of welcome by Lieut.-Gov. Curtis Guild, Jr., and Mayor Collins, the general subject, "Co-operation for the Public Good," will be discussed by Dr. Edward T. Devine of New York, Gen. Bridges, warden of the Charlestown state prison and Dr. Philip S. Moxom. A reception will be held at the close of the meeting in the Hotel Brunswick. At the successive sessions on Thursday and Friday the general subjects, "The Separation of Children from Parents," "Tramps," "The Relation of the Placing-out Work of an Institution to its Other Works," and "The Care of Needy Families in Their Homes," will be discussed by leading workers in the various philanthropic organizations of this state and elsewhere. Rev. George C. Wright, of Lowell, is one of the speakers announced. The day meetings will be held at the Young Men's Christian association hall and the evening meetings at Huntington hall. Institute of Technology. On Thursday afternoon the Boston almshouse and hospital will be visited by invitation, and on Friday evening another reception will be given. The headquarters of the conference will be at Hotel Brunswick, Boylston street, where detailed programs may be secured. All interested in charity are asked to consider themselves delegates and attend the sessions. There is no membership fee.

RIVERVIEW CLUB

HELD SMOKE TALK AT DEWEY GROVE.

The members of the Riverview Athletic club held a smoke talk at Dewey Grove last evening at which a large gathering enjoyed the program offered. In addition to a musical and literary program there were several bouts. Tom Flaherty and Kid Connelly went a four round bout to a draw. Charles Armstrong (Hughey) of this city and Kid Conway of Fall River went for six rounds, Armstrong getting the decision. The main bout of the evening was between Jockey Brady of Lowell and Kid Landry of Lawrence, who boxed for eight rounds. Brady was awarded the decision. The judges were Martin Flaherty, Moffatt Flaherty of Boston and James Bradley of Lawrence.

PASSACONAWAY TRIBE R. M.

A well attended meeting of Passaconaway Tribe of Red Men was held last night and the committee on the anniversary and banquet reported progress. The great chiefs will be present at this affair. Great Sachem William A. Flouton has appointed Past Sachem Alvine G. Weeks of Sippican tribe, of Fall River, as deputy great sachem of Passaconaway tribe. He has also appointed Past Sachem Edward T. Goward of Passaconaway tribe as deputy great sachem of Wannalancit tribe of Lawrence.

Under the good of the order songs were given by Bros. C. H. Kittredge, C. C. Durstholf and Fred Santum; accompanist, John Howarth; readings by Bros. D. G. Hurd and G. W. Fraser; remarks by O. A. Libby and E. T. Goward.

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George White & Son, late of the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine Co., wish to announce to their friends and the public in general that they are now selling the White Sewing Machines at the above address.

STILL UNCONSCIOUS

PROF. MOMMSEN HAD AN APOPLECTIC STROKE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 31—Prof. Mommsen, the historian, who suffered a severe apoplectic stroke, still lingers, unconscious. His bed has been moved to his airy workroom adjoining the library because it is one of the largest rooms in the house and farthest from the bedroom of his wife, who is near death from dropsy.

Her illness during recent weeks severely affected the professor's general health. She had borne him twelve children and their modest, drab, stuccoed house is scarcely large enough to contain their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, who are gathering today to see the patriarch once more in life.

SLY GIRLS

You know beauty is but skin deep, but you want it just the same. You can't have it unless you have good health. Each ailment has its sign. If you're anemic your skin is pale and sallow and you may have red watery pimples; you have headaches and there is a scowl between your eyes; your hair may be turning gray from want of coloring matter in your blood. If your blood is impure yor skin is thick and muddy and you may have pimples containing matter. If you're run-down your skin and eyes are dull, you drag your feet. If you're a nervous-wreck your face is lined and wrinkled. Such conditions kill beauty. In any case you feel dissatisfied with yourself; you know you haven't come into your rightful inheritance of youth and health and beauty. Dr. Parker's Tonetic Tablets will change this for you. They will banish anemia, headaches, dizziness, pale and sallow skin. They will give you an appetite for wholesome food and a good digestion. They will make your blood pure and red and cure pimples and other humours. They will give you a quick circulation, a vivid coloring, a buoyant step, bright eyes and the happiness and animation that goes with perfect physical condition. The beauty of health.

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The Good Old Summer

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A MEETING OF TWO LADIES

"Why, how do you do, Miss Dobs! I am awfully glad to see you, dear. Are you well? I am glad of that. O, say, is that the dress you were telling me about the last time I saw you?"

"Yes, how do you like it?"

"O, it's just too nice for anything. It fits awfully good. Who made it for you?"

"Why, don't you know Eyman Snyder, the famous New York ladies' tailor, is here now and makes all my clothes. His place is

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People's Club

The classes for the coming season at the Women's Branch of the People's Club open November 2 and are as follows:

Dressmaking, Millinery, Cooking, Plain Sewing, Fancy Work, Physical Culture, Shirt Waist Making and Basketry.

SWAN BUILDING

THE SUN EXTRA

6 O'CLOCK

SMITH IS ALIVE

Lowell Man Had Been Recorded as Dead

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 31—Through an error arising from a similarity of names, Melvin B. Smith of Lowell has been marked as dead in the catalogue of of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, of which institute he is an alumnus. Although his obituary had been filed away in the archieves, it developed that Mr. Smith is living. The mistake arose through a newspaper report from Washington of the death there of a man of the same name who was said to have been a graduate of the Worcester school. Mr. Smith of Lowell had occasion to write to the institution and in looking over the lists of graduates the officials discovered that they had marked the word "dead" opposite his name. An investigation showed that the Lowell man was the only graduate of that name from the institute and that the man who died in Washington was probably a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

THREE KILLED BY TORNADO

By Associated Press to The Sun

OKLAHOMA CITY, I. T., OCT. 31.—A TORNADO LAST NIGHT DEMOLISHED MOST OF THE HOUSES AT HYDRO, NEAR HERE, KILLING THREE PERSONS AND FATALLLY INJURING SEVERAL OTHERS.

HYDRO IS A TOWN OF ABOUT 100 INHABITANTS IN CADDO COUNTY, 37 MILES NORTHWEST FROM ANADARKO AND IS OFF THE RAILROAD.

A SALOON FIGHT

Man Killed His Best Friend

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—While engaged in political discussion early today, William Frazer stabbed and killed his best friend, Thomas Barrett in a Brooklyn saloon. Frazer surrendered and told the police he had not stabbed Barrett intentionally. He said the latter was opposing him and that he picked up a knife from the lunch counter and poked it into Barrett's side. He was overcome with remorse when his friend fell dying.

POISONED WHISKEY

DID NOT FINISH EDGAR GARLAND.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WATERVILLE, Maine, Oct. 31.—Edgar Garland, who drank poisoned whiskey last night and was thought to be dying from the effects, has recovered today. Charles Brown of Portland who was arrested in connection with the case, was liberated.

GUARDED THE COIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31—The superintendent of the mint has turned over a shipment of 1,450,000 pesos to the War department, the last that will be coined here for a long time. A guard of twenty soldiers escorted the coin to the transport Sheridan for transportation to Manila.

BARBER IS PRESIDENT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—At a meeting of the United Box-board and Paper company held in this city, O C. Barber, president of the Diamond Match company, has been elected president to succeed James E. Roberts, who has been appointed chairman of the board of directors, a new position.

VANDERBILT WON

Succeeded in Closing a Highway

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—After a struggle lasting eighteen months, William K. Vanderbilt, jr., has succeeded in gaining permission to close the public highway leading to Lake Success, on his beautiful Long Island estate, near Hempstead. Failing to purchase the lake after acquiring his estate in and around that body of water, Mr. Vanderbilt asked for the lease of a strip of ground that forms the connecting link between an old road and the waters of the lake. There was nothing of record to show that the board of trustees of North Hempstead ever acquired ownership of the disputed right of way to the lake, save by prescription and use. The idea that Mr. Vanderbilt would stock the stream with fish and hold it as a private preserve raised much opposition. Previous to the election, a year ago, he made an offer of $50,000 to the town for the lake. It was determined to settle the question by ballot. So intense was the feeling that the vote polled was greater than that at a presidential election, and the offer was rejected. Finally, Mr. Vanderbilt appeared before the trustees and applied for a lease running 99 years in turn for which concession he proposed opening a road to the lake by another route. His opponents still refused to capitulate, but the matter was put to a vote of the board and he won.

AMERICAN MINER

BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN MURDERED FOR MONEY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31—U. S. Vice Consul Kaizer, of Mazatlan, just arrived here, tells of the murder of an American miner named Dambacher, near that city.

It is thought robbery was the motive, as $5,000 which he was known to have possessed, was missing. The U. S. consul at Mazatlan is investigating the case.

12 KILLED

Terrible Railroad Accident Near Indianapolis

By Associated Press to The Sun

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 31.—The Big Four train carrying the members of the football team of Purdue university from Lafayette, was wrecked near Riverside Park today at the edge of this city.

Several players are seriously and perhaps fatally hurt.

Twelve dead bodies have been removed from the wreck.

The team was scheduled to play with the Indiana state university this afternoon.

Besides the 12 dead bodies that have been recovered there are still others in the wreck. Some of the killed and injured are members of the team.

The list of dead thus far is as follows:

E. J. ROBERTSON, Indianapolis.
WALTER R. ROUCH, Pittsburg.
L. E. RUSH, Pittsburg.
R. J. ROWELL, Corpus Christi, Texas.
SAM SQUIR, Lafayette.
JOE KNAPP, Evansville.

The injured thus far are:
John Miller, both legs broken.
Dr. Bitting, seriously injured.

The special train bore the Lafayette rooters numbering nearly 1000. It consisted of 12 coaches and was running as the first section at high speed.

A gravel pit switch near 19th street, an engine with a lot of coal cars collided with the passenger.

A passenger engine and first three coaches were almost totally destroyed. The first coach was crushed to splinters, the second telescoped and thrown down an embankment 15 feet high, while the third coach was overturned and thrown across the track. There is confusion as to what caused the accident, each engineer insisting that he had the track and did not know of the other train. A deep cut prevented a clear view of the track.

The crash of the two trains threw the coal cars through the first two coaches in which were many of the players and substitutes. The engine, two coal cars and two coaches were crushed into a confused mass of wreckage. Under this pile of debris were 50 or more students of the university.

The uninjured in the rear coaches hurried to the aid of the victims. The work of pulling out the dead and injured was continued by the students and passengers, including many girls from Lafayette, until surgical help arrived.

ABUSED HORSES

Peabody Man Out for Revenge

By Associated Press to The Sun

PEABODY, Mass., Oct. 31—Actuated, the police believe, by a desire for revenge, some person entered several barns in the vicinity of Peabody during the night and badly mutilated a number of valuable horses. In every case the mane of the horse was cropped close to the neck and the tail shaved. In one case, at least, the visitor split the ears of a horse from the tip close to the head. The first complaint made to the police was by Daniel H. Flint, a West Peabody farmer, who reported that he had found one of his horses in a grievous plight today. The animal, noted for a fine mane and tail, had lost both by being shaved and the animal's ears also had been split. Later in the day reports from other sections came in and an investigation was begun.

Reports received at police headquarters later in the day showed that probably malicious persons did not confine themselves to Peabody alone. From Danvers it was announced that two horses owned by D. W. Berry and one owned by John Wheelock were mutilated in a manner similar to those in West Peabody. In addition to cutting the manes and tails and slitting the ears, the hair was partly cut from the bodies of the animals at Danvers.

BODY CREMATED

FUNERAL OF THE LATE JOHN E. RUSSELL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—The funeral services for the late John E. Russell, one of the foremost democrats of Massachusetts, who died Wednesday at his home in Leicester, were held today at the chapel of the Forest Hills crematory. The announcement that the services were to be open to the public brought a large number of men, among them many of prominence who were associated with Mr. Russell during his political life, to the funeral. The burial service of the Episcopal church was read by Rev. E. Winchester Donald, the rector of Trinity church, Boston. Afterwards the body was cremated.

The services at Forest Hills were preceded by a private funeral service at Leicester, conducted by Rev. D. C. Reid. The body was then conveyed in a special car to Boston and thence to Forest Hills.

AURORA BOREALIS

MAKES TROBLE FOR TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—A brilliant display of the aurora borealis early today interfered with telegraphic service in this vicinity. Both telegraph companies report wire trouble because of the electrical display, and all telegrams were accepted subject to heavy delay. This was the first display of the aurora in this city for ten years and it lasted several hours.

The French cable company gives notice that owing to extraordinary electrical disturbances, they are informed by the European administration that business will be subject to heavy delay.

CARTER NAMED

As Successor of Governor Dole

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31—The president today made the following appointments:

Sanford P. Dole, to be U. S. District judge for Hawaii, to succeed Judge Morris M. Estee.

George R. Carter, secretary of Hawaii, to be governor of the same, to succeed Gov. Dole.

DEATHS

DUNNIGAN—John Joseph Dunnigan, aged 31 years, died last night at his late home, 495 Varnum avenue. The deceased leaves to mourn his loss a at the city water works on the Pawtucket boulevard. He was a well known popular young man of this city and was also a member of the Stationary Engineers of America. The deceased leaves to mourn his lose a wife, a mother and three sisters, Mrs. Arthur Mitchell of Lynn, and Misses Jennie and Annie of Lowell; also two brothers, Phillip A., of this city, and Stephen A. of Buffalo, N. Y.

The funeral will take place at nine o'clock Monday morning from his late home, 495 Varnum avenue, and a high mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church.

SWEETSIR—Mrs. Julia Sweetsir, aged 76, died last evening at the Lowell General hospital. The body has been removed to Undertaker Ela's warerooms.

EAGER—Mrs. Lucinda C. Eager, aged 72 years, five months and 17 days, a former resident of Lowell, died Wednesday in Easton, Mass. The body was sent here yesterday for interment. Burial was in Lowell cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Brooks.

CROWLEY—Mary Crowley, aged 50 years, wife of Michael, died yesterday at 18 Abbott street. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, Mary E. and Mrs. Margaret Scollan. Deceased was an old resident of the city and a constant and devout attendant of St. Peter's church.

The funeral will take place from her late home at 9.30 o'clock Monday morning and a high mass of requiem will be celebrated at 10 o'clock at St. Peter's church.

FUNERALS

DOLAN—The funeral of Ellen Dolan, infant twin daughter of James and Mary, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 196 Worthen street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOND—The funeral of Miss Alma Bond took place yesterday afternoon upon arrival of the body from Liberty, N. Y. Services were conducted by Rev. S. D. Millin of Mt. Vernon Street Baptist church at Edson cemetery chapel. Hymns were rendered by First Universalist church quartette. Burial was in Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Young.

HUNTLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Bertha Merrill Huntley took place yesterday afternoon from 696 Stevens street and was largely attended by sorrowing friends of deceased. Rev. A. E. Kenyon officiated, assisted by Mr. Lockhart of Melrose Highlands. Selections were sung by Mrs. George McKewin. Bearers were four brothers of the deceased, Fred, Samuel, Charles and Ernest Merrill. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck had charge.

ADAMS—The funeral of Frank Adams took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Henry and Susan, 41 Swift street. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery and was under the direction of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell & Co.

"FOUR HUNDRED"

Arraigned Before Chicago Woman's Club

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, of Los Angeles, Calif., has made a scathing arraignment of the "Four Hundred" class, in an address delivered before a local woman's club.

"The 'Smart Set' is nothing but an excrescence on real society," said Mrs. Burdette. She declared that no such aggregation could never be other than an insignificant factor in the life of a great nation.

"When asked to consider the society woman," said Mrs. Burdette, a "large proportion of the not over-thoughtful will immediately hang on the eye-line of their mental picture gallery the portrait of a chameleon-like creature that baffles recognition as she reflects the horse show, the ball room, the street, the banquet hall, the boudoir, the automobile, as a creature that is all things to all men and nothing to any man.

"She is a creature whose favorite companions of what is called the sterner sex are insipid and brainless creatures, who are called men only because they are not women. She is a woman whose whole life is one of questionable gaiety, who smokes at dinners with men and who drinks rather too much at times. The announcement of her engagement brings a smile with the uplifted eyebrow and her divorce suit is accepted as a matter of course."

SAXONY COUNCIL

WILL MAKE SPECIAL EXHIBIT AT ST. LOUIS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LIEPSIC, Saxony, Oct. 31—The city council has decided to make a special exhibit at the St. Louis exposition to emphasize the city's artistic and musical reputation.

A committee composed of leading architects, sculptors, musicians and others has been organized to take the matter in hand. The plan is to have a music hall in which the decoration and exhibits will portray Leipsic's musical history and development. Prof. Max Klinger, whose statue of Beethoven has been exhibited in a number of the largest German and Austrian art centers and has been pronounced the greatest piece of German sculpture for a century, will contribute busts of Wagner and Liszt. Another artist will send a bust of Schumann.

A GENUINE METEOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun

OREGON CITY, Ore., Oct. 31—F. W. Crosby, who is collecting specimens for the Smithsonian institute at Washington, is here to see the meteor reported a few days ago, and has pronounced it not only a genuine meteor, but the largest that has ever been found in the United States and the largest ever discovered in the world. It weighs between 10 and 20 tons. He says from appearances it may have been buried in the hill where it was found for many centuries.

WILL RESUME WORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BURLINGTON, Vt., Oct. 31—Several hundred idle textile operatives will go to work on Monday next in this city and Winooski. The Burlington cotton mills which were shut down nearly five weeks ago for the purpose of allowing new machinery to be installed, will resume operations.

WHALER'S CATCH.

By Associated Press to The Sun

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 31—The steam whaler Jeanette and the whaling bark Gay Head, have just arrived in port. The Jeanette reports having captured four rightwhales which netted 2300 pounds of bone and 400 pounds of ivory.

The Gay Head brought in 500 barrels of sperm oil and three thousand pounds of bone, representing a catch of eight sperm and three rightwhales.

MAJOR ROWELL DEAD.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PORTLAND, Maine, Oct. 31.—A dispatch was received here today of the death at Minneapolis of Major Elphalet Rowell, formerly mayor of Hallowell, former representative to the Maine legislature and for many years a well-known newspaper publisher, aged 81 years. Major Rowell for a number of years published the Hallowell Gazette. He served four terms in the legislature, 1858, 1861, 1880 and 1881 and was elected mayor of Hallowell in 1890. He was born at Livermore and leaves two sons, George S. Rowell, business manager of Portland Daily Advertiser, and William W. Rowell of Minneapolis, with whom he was living at the time of his death.

COURT MERRIMACK.

Thursday evening Court Merrimack, F. of A., held a very enjoyable party at the hall on Palmer street. It was the 24th anniversary of the court. There was a brief address by Chief Ranger Michael Corcoran and Past Grand Chief Ranger W. F. Stafford. Later dancing was in order and about 100 hundred couples enjoyed the fun until midnight.

OFFER TO STRIKERS

THEY MAY RETURN TO WORK SOON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BILBAO, Spain, Oct. 31.—As a result of the conferences between General Zappino and the employers and employes, the former consented to let the strikers return to work next week and will consider their demands. The men will hold a meeting to discuss the proposal.

The authorities have confiscated and caused to be thrown into the sea all the dynamite available here.

SUPT. BEALS' MEN

Profit by the Unusual Weather

STREET AND SEWER DEPTS. RUSHING

Will Work Until Bad Weather Comes

The street and sewer departments are having a fine run of fall work during this weather and they hope the weather will continue auspicious until most of the work under way can be finished up. The sewer department will not attempt to finish the extension of the White street sewer in the bed of the Merrimack river this fall, but all other jobs now under way will be completed if the weather continues fine. The new Moody street sewer was finished this week and work is progressing rapidly on the Crawford and Howard street and Middlesex Park sewers.

On the street department end, the scales at Pawtucket square have been shifted to Riverside street and the square filled in and repaired. Varnum avenue is nearly finished, the polishing process only remaining to be done.

Work was begun this week on the extension of Christian street from the reservoir to First street, making another means of access to the hill.

Middlesex street in the vicinity of Middlesex Park has been cleaned up and repaved between the tracks where the sewer was laid.

FARMERS REFUSE

WILL NOT SEND THEIR MILK TO BOSTON.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 31—The farmers of Warren who are members of the Warren branch of the New England Milk Producers Union, have decided to withhold 600 cans from the usual shipments to Boston on and after tomorrow. The action is due to the refusal of the farmers to accept an offer of 28½ cents a can as the winter price.

The farmers of North Brookfield and vicinity will meet tonight to take action on the matter.

PRESIDENT PRITCHETT

FIRST FOREIGNER TO RIDE ON HIGH SPEED MOTOR CARS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BERLIN, Oct. 31—Pres. H. S. Pritchett of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has the distinction of being the first foreigner to ride on the motor-cars used in the high speed electrical experiments on the Marienfeldt-Zodsen military railroad.

After riding in both the Siemen's and the Allgemeine cars, this morning, President Pritchett described his experiences and observations to The Associated Press.

Both cars reached the speed of a hundred miles an hour. The chief of the government's military railroads, who was on board, would not permit a higher speed today because of the fog which prevailed.

LONE MARINER HEARD FROM.

By Associated Press to The Sun

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 31—The Tilakimum, an Indian canoe converted into a yacht of four tons, which left Victoria to tour the world with a lone mariner, J. C. Vose, and which made the trip to Australia, has been reported in letters received from Vose dated at Tanu, New Hebrides, on Sept. 6. He is enroute to Thursday Island and to Africa, whence he will cruise to London.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—Cotton: Futures closed very steady. Nov., 10.34; Dec. 10.46; Jan. 10.40; Feb. 10.46; March, 10.45; April, 10.45; May, 10.48; June, 10.45; July 10.46; Aug., 10.34.

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Best Smoked Shoulders..... 8c lb
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Challenge Milk.....3 cans 25c.
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Best canned Pears.....16c a can.
Best Corned Beef.....3 to 6 a lb
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50c Golden Tips Assam.....30c lb., 4 lbs. $1
50c English Breakfast.....20c lb., 7 lbs. $1.

NIGHT EDITION

6 O'CLOCK

CHARGES MADE

Against Former Head of the Lowell Textile School

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 31—The hearing on the charges brought against Christopher P. Brooks, managing director of the New Bedford Textile school, by Herman Wahlgren, a morning before a specia lnon naonaoa former instructor, was begun this morning before a special committee of the trustees comprising Senator Rufus A. Soule, chairman; Mayor Charles S. Ashley, Andrew G. Pierce, Joseph F. Knowles and Samuel Ross. All of the instructors of the school appeared in support of Mr. Wahlgren and they and Mr. Brooks were both represented by counsel.

The enthusiasm of the teachers in testifying against their chief was a striking feature of the case. Several who have been heard up to this noon had agreed in testifying that while acting as employes of the textile school they were required by Mr. Brooks to do work for the Correspondence school, his own private enterprise; had been solicited to write books for him, which he copyrighted as his exclusive property; had allowed the Correspondence school staff to have special privileges at the textile school and had generally conducted the two schools so that there was more or less confusion as to their identity.

HEAVY REDUCTION

WILL BE MADE BY PIG-IRON PRODUCERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PITTSBURG, Pa., Oct. 31.—The pig-iron producers of the central west are expected to meet again in Pittsburg on Tuesday of next week when it is likely that a heavy reduction will be made even in the present low producing average of the blast furnaces of this district. The agreement entered into just before the month of October and covering all of the eastern and central west furnaces required the reduction of pig-iron at all stacks 25 per cent. for the succeeding three months. It was believed that this reduction which amounted in the central west alone to 750,000 tons would prevent the stocking of iron in the furnace yards and a general over-production of the metal.

The stagnation in the pig-iron market during the past month has increased owing to the cutting of the prices of southern irons which have been sold recklessly in the northern markets. Added to this has been a slowing up in the finished material demand until there was less and less demand for steel in all forms, it reached such an acute stage that the bessemer works of the Carnegie Steel company at Homestead were shut down and are likely to remain closed for some time to come.

DUFFY ARRESTED

IN CONNECTION WITH WRECK OF CHICAGO "FLYER."

By Associated Press to The Sun

PUEBLO, Col., Oct. 31—A man giving the name of John Duffy was arrested here last night in compliance with a telegram from Detective Bluff of the Santa Fe who is now working on the case of the wrecking of the Chicago "Flyer" yesterday. A subsequent request was made for the arrest of all suspicious characters for investigation and this is being carried out.

CITY CLERK BUSY

PREPARING THE ELECTION DAY PARAPHERNALIA.

The city clerk and a number of his temporary clerks were busy men at city hall today making final preparations for election day. Ballot boxes were inspected and filled up, tally sheets arranged and the innumerable other little details attended to.

GUARDED BY TROOPERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 31—A consignment of $1,570,000 in currency and silver, sent by express from Washington to the St. Louis sub-treasury was safely delivered from the Union station to the sub-treasury vaults yesterday in express wagons. Fifteen troopers insured the safe convey-nnce of the treasure. The money is one of the several consignments that will be sent to the St. Louis sub-treasury by the treasury department within the next few days. The total of these consignments is said to be in the neighborhood of $5,000,000.

EX-SENATOR FARWELL'S WILL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—The estate of the late ex-Senator Charles B. Farwell, bequeathed by his will to his family, amounts to about $2,000,000. Mrs. Mary B. Farwell, the widow, Walter Farwell, his son, and Charles F. Harding are named as executors and trustees, to hold all the estate in trust until expenses are paid and then distribute it.

COTTON FUTURES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Cotton: Futures opened steady. Dec. 10.25; Jan. 10.26; Feb. 10.30; March 10.29; April 10.31; May 10.32; July 10.31.

COAL, LIME, CEMENT, BRICKS

OF ALL KINDS

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BOSTON GAS WAR

AN ECHO OF IT WAS HEARD TODAY IN NEW YORK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—An echo of the Boston gas war of 1896 was heard today before Theodore M. Hill, a commissioner appointed to conduct the examination of Camille Weidenfeld. Mr. Weidenfeld was formerly a partner of Thomas W. Lawson of Boston and was associated with him in the Boston Gas Light company at the time it was warring with the Brookline Gas Light company. His testimony was taken for use in the suit of Torrey E. Wardner, formerly publisher of the Boston Traveler, who has brought suit for $125,000 against A. C. Burrage, a Boston copper magnate, for services rendered in effecting a settlement of the turbulent situation. The case is now before the superior court of Massachusetts. The hearing was secret.

STORMY VOYAGE

SCHOONER PASSED THROUGH TERRIFIC GALE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—The small schooner Belle Bartlett arrived today from Cape Vincent, C. V. I., with 10 passengers and a crew of 12 men after a stormy voyage of 38 days.

On Oct. 5 the schooner met a terrific gale from the southwest which veered to northeast, lasting 56 hours, during which the rudder was carried away and the foresail blown into ribbons. After the gale the schooner was steered with the sails, there being no material to make a substitute rudder. On Oct. 29, in a smoky atmosphere, the captain lost his reckoning and ran the schooner ashore at Zacht's inlet. The steamer William E. Chapman hauled her off yesterday and brought her to port. The Belle Bartlett was bound to New Bedford. She is an American schooner and hails from New York.

SUMMONED TO COURT

STRIKERS ARE CHARGED WITH RIOTING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

CHICOPEE, Mass., Oct. 31.—Two of the striking operatives at the Chicopee cotton mills at Chicopee Falls were summoned into court today charged with participating in a small sized riot which occurred at the mill gates last night. Two Poles are under arrest accused of attacking two employes of the corporation, who, it is claimed, are doing the work of the strikers. The two men assaulted were injured about the head and chest. It appears that a number of strikers and their friends were waiting at the gates for the strike breakers and as the latter appeared, sand was thrown into the eyes of two of them, followed by an assault. The police are looking for a third man who assisted the strikers.

RAIDED BY POLICE

THIRTY-THREE MEN ARE UNDER ARREST.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BROCKTON, Mass., Oct. 31.—The police made a raid on a room upstairs in a stable at 444 Main street at midnight last night. They found a large number of men gathered and evidences of a prop game. Thirty-three men were placed under arrest, but two got away later, while they were waiting in the police station to secure bail. In the police court this morning, R. T. C. Spooner was found guilty of maintaining a gaming place and sentenced to two months on this charge. On the charge of being present where gaming implements were found he was fined $15. Of the other 30 defendants on the latter charge 27 were fined $15 and three $25. All but six paid.

EXCHANGES AND BALANCES.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—Exchanges $21,176,897.

Balances $1,823,608.

For the week:—

Exchanges $118,040,121.

Balances $8,921,943.

For the month:—

Exchanges $588,237,116.

Balances $45,234,594.

IRON-OX Tablets For the Bowels.

Not preventive nor cathartic, but gently laxative and tonic. For sale by druggists, 25 cents.

"GRIEVOUS ERROR"

Senator Gorman Puts It Up to Roosevelt

Attacks Him for Forcing the Race Issue—He Believes That the President Has Made a Mistake—Big Meeting Held in Baltimore

By Associated Press to The Sun

BALTIMORE, Oct. 31.—At a democratic mass meeting, held last night at the close of the campaign, speeches were made by Edwin Warfield, the candidate for governor, and a number of leading democrats, including U. S. Senator A. P. Gorman. An immense crowd was present, and the speaking was preceded by stereopticon views showing the association of white and negro delegates at the recent republican state convention.

The important address of the evening was that of Senator Gorman, who, in addition to his advocacy of the state ticket and his excoriation of the republicans, arraigned President Roosevelt for his interference in the political affairs of Maryland. He then continued:

"President Roosevelt is a man of fine attainments and of honest convictions. He is young in years, impulsive, ambitious, is a partisan and believes in his party. In his anxiety for its success he is liable to make mistakes and in my judgment he has committed a most grievous error in forcing to the front an issue which must be deplored by all the conservative men of the country.

"In every country where the race issue has arisen it has always carried in its wake lamentable results, and has been attended by evil consequences. I trust his earnestness and impetuosity may be restrained and that he may be prevailed upon to use wiser counsel in his treatment of the negro problem.

WHITE MEN'S BURDEN.

"From the day a cargo of Africans was landed and sold as slaves until this hour the burden of the white men of this country has been greater than that borne by any people known to history. It was one of the causes which led to a most gigantic war, destroying fair homes and impoverishing a gallant people.

"Immediately after the close of the war came the adoption of the 14th and 15th amendments, which enfranchised the blacks for party purposes alone, and thus injected into the body politic a people unprepared and unfitted for self-government.

"The Anglo-Saxon has never and will never tolerate the social equality or the political domination of the negro race. The south has passed through scenes of turbulence and disorder and rape and riot. By amendments to state constitutions and by legislation the whites have secured control, for the time being, of their own local governments, and the colored race is no longer a political factor in any state south of the Potomac.

CANKER ON BODY POLITIC.

"For more than 30 years this question has aroused sectional feeling and divided parties. It has threatened the peace of the states, put in jeopardy homes and paralyzed industrial efforts. All thoughtful men realize that this canker upon the body politic must be eliminated and the supremacy of white government assured.

"In 1896 William McKinley was elected president of the United States. During his service in congress he favored the most drastic legislation proposed by his party in their efforts to enforce the constitutional provisions. As president of the United States he realized the responsibilities of his exalted position. He began his term when the country was emerging from the throes of a great commercial panic. All the business interests of the north were depressed—the wheels of industry scarcely revolving.

"The south was struggling with its negro problem; its fields only half cultivated, its manufacturers at the lowest ebb, its mines and forests undeveloped. These conditions were principally due to the great pall that hung over that part of the country and made development and progress impossible.

REVERSION, AS IN 1892.

"Unless I mistake the temper of the people of this country there will be the same revolution in public sentiment and the same protest that was recorded in 1892 by the white people of the entire union against the administration of President Harrison for his attempt to force negro domination upon the south, and thus destroy that section of and paralyze the industries of the whole United States.

"We are told that the president has declared to Senator McComas in unequivocal language that the forthcoming election in Maryland was not a local event, but one of national importance. In other words, the election of Mr. Williams as governor of Maryland would be an endorsement of Mr. Roosevelt's administration.

"So this issue is forced upon us by the president. He has thrown the gage of battle and we must meet it as becomes Marylanders. Our opponents in this state tell us we are in danger of being dominated by negroes; that the white outnumber the blacks. In one sense this is true, but in another it is a mere dodge."

LEWISTON MAN

ARRESTED IN BOSTON FOR ALLEGED LARCENY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—James Davis, who gives his place of residence as Lewiston, Me., was arrested by the police of Division 4 today on the charge of the larceny of surgical instruments said to have been found in his possession. According to the police, also keys located on the man led them to recognize him with reference to recent breaks in railroad offices in Maine and New Hampshire.

WATSON'S NEW BOAT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

LONDON, Oct. 31—It is denied in well-informed quarters that the schooner which George L. Watson is designing is intended for King Edward. It is suggested that it is more probable that the owner is Emperor William himself.

Mr. Watson declines to confirm or deny the latter report.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Despair of ever recovering from an injury received in a railroad accident, induced, it is thought Otis Larson to commit suicide.

He was found dead today at his home in the South End from the effects of a razor cut in the throat. He was unmarried.

WON RICE TROPHY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—Roething defeated Phillips last night in the third and deciding game for the Rice trophy, thereby retaining the trophy for the New York State Chess association until the summer meeting next year.

CREDITORS' MEETING.

By Associated Press to The Sun

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 31—One hundred creditors of the Pattee & Company of Woonsocket, were represented by attorneys at the meeting of creditors which was held at the office of the referee in bankruptcy in this city this morning and an appraisal of $27,124 was placed upon the property. The creditors unanimously elected J. C. Collins, Jr., trustee and voted to allow him to sell all the property by sealed bids at 12 o'clock Monday, November 2. No bid less than $20,000 will be accepted.

CLEARING HOUSE BANKS.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—The statement of averages of the clearing house banks of this city for the week shows:

Loans increase, $4,409,500; Deposits, decrease $4,098,900; Circulation increase, $31,300; Legal tenders decrease, $1,672,000; Specie decrease, $7,022,800; Reserve decrease, $8,694,800; Reserve required decrease, $1,024,500; Surplus, $10,274,150; decrease, $7,670,300; ex-U. S. deposits, $19,563,350; decrease, $7,681,200.

FERRY S. HEATH

WILL NOT HAVE TO STAND TRIAL.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The prosecution of Perry S. Heath, secretary of the republican national committee, in connection with the postoffice department disclosures, has not been expected at any time. If there was ground for his prosecution, he would have been prosecuted before this, provided the prosecution was not barred by the statute of limitations. The understanding is that the Bristow report and those of the special attorneys, Bonaparte and Conrad, reflect seriously upon Mr. Heath's administration of his office, and, indeed, of the entire postoffice department during the Spanish war period, and these reports are sufficient, it is stated, to prevent Mr. Heath from continuing as secretary of the republican national committee, just as they would prevent him from being appointed to any federal office.

FINN WINS

IN CASE AGAINST GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

The jury in the case of Finn vs. the Lowell Gas Light Co., returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $500 yesterday afternoon. Messrs. J. J. and W. A. Hogan appeared for the plaintiff while F. E. Dunbar was counsel for the defense.

MERCANTILE PAPER.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31.—Close—Prime mercantile paper 5½ @ 6; sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.84.75 @ 4.84.87 for demand and at 4.81.25 @ 4.81.50 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.82½ @ 4.83 and 4.86 @ ½; commercial bills, 4.80½ @ 4.81.

Bar silver, 59¾; Mexican dollars, 45¾.

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds, irregular.

Exchanges, $19,380,792; Balance, $9,355,512.

For the week: Exchanges, $1,113,913,497; Balances, $65,801,659.

Total clearings of all the bank clearing houses throughout the United States ending today were $1,979,274,879, a decrease of 11.5 per cent. compared with the corresponding period last year.

All Skin Diseases

ARE CURED BY ZEMA CURA,

a liquid applied externally. Safe, harmless, not unpleasant to use. ZEMA-CURA brings instant relief and permanent cure. Can be used on anyone from baby to grandfather. $1, at all druggists or sent prepaid by THE ZEMA-CURA CO., 3 W. 23d Street, New York.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

WISH TO INFORM you that we ... a Galvanized Coal Hod with a ... of our 60c tea. You may order by ... or telephone. Dickson's Tea Store, Merrimack street.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The two o'clock and five o'clock editions of The Sun are on sale every day at both newsstands in the Union station, Boston.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Massachusetts Highway Commission.

Notice to Contractors—Sealed proposals for building a section of state highway about 7800 feet in length in the town of Ashland will be received by the Massachusetts Highway Commission at its office, 20 Pemberton square, Boston, Mass., until 12 m. on Thursday, November 5, 1903, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Bids must be made upon blanks to be furnished by the commission.

A pamphlet containing the necessary information and blanks will be furnished on application, upon receipt of a deposit of $2.00, said amount to be returned if the person taking the pamphlet makes a bid for the work on the form provided in said pamphlet, or returns the pamphlet at or before the time of the opening of the bids.

No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certified check for the sum of $250, payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. E. McCLINTOCK,
HAROLD PARKER,
JOHN H. MANNING,
Massachusetts Highway Commission.

Boston, Oct. 29, 1903.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law and all other persons interested in the estate of John Brooks, late of Lowell, in said county, deceased.

Whereas, Frederick Brooks, administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented to said court his petition for license to sell at public auction the whole of a parcel of the real estate of said deceased for the payment of debts and charges of administration and for other reasons set forth in said petition.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate court to be held at Cambridge, in said county, on the third day of November, A. D. 1903, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested in the estate fourteen days, at least, before said court, or by publishing the same once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, first judge of said court, this fifteenth day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A fur cape between Broadway and Salem streets. Finder please return to Mrs. Connor, 83 Salem street.

LOST—In September, pair of eyeglasses with case marked Charles T. Saul, between Hanford square and postoffice or Westford street car. Please leave at Sun office.

LOST—Black and tan hound, nine months old. Liberal reward at Farragut house. Charles H. Bent.

FOUND—A small sum of money in Pollard's store Monday, Oct. 19. Owner can have by calling at 506 Lawrence St.

LOST—A string of gold beads between Beacon and Merrimack streets or between Merrimack street and the Highlands. Finder receive reward at 21 Hildreth building.

FOUND—Beaded side bag on Market street. Owner may have by proving property and paying for adv. at Sun office.

LOST—Gray horse blanket somewhere between Davis square and Lakeview avenue; reward. 130 Adams street.

LOST—One hundred and thirty-seven dollars on the Montreal express between Manchester and Lowell. Good reward at William Perkins', 61 Woodcock street, Pawtucketville.

LOST—A black cape, between First Baptist church and Merrimack square. Reward to finder at Dow's drug store, corner Central and Merrimack streets.

MONEY TO LOAN

PAWNBROKER—Money to loan; money loaned on all valuable articles, clothing; rates reasonable. A Stein, 343 Middlesex street, Lowell, Mass.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and all personal property. Private office. (Strictly confidential.) Room 5, Swan building, 25 Central street.

MONEY ON CREDIT without security. Boarding houses, retail merchants, and salaried people; easy payments; lowest rates in the city. Merrimack Loan Co., 25 Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses without security; easy payments; largest business in 42 principal cities. Tolman, room 28, Associate building.

MONEY TO LOAN at short notice on furniture, pianos, etc. Leases paid off and more money advanced. All business strictly confidential. Address W. B. Leinbas, room 3, Barristers hall.

DETECTIVE AGENCIES.

H. C. GREENE
LICENSED DETECTIVE

Evidence secured in all matters. All business confidential.

29 CENTRAL STREET

NOVELTY STORE

Having complete line of dry goods and gents' furnishings, fruits, cigars and tobacco, doing a good tea and coffee business; also new soda fountain with fixtures necessary to conduct an A1 store; this store is doing a fine business, but owner is obliged to leave the city and will sell at a price any one will buy, $1400; stock alone will appraise more than that.

FARM—40 acres, good buildings, 15 head stock; for all $2000.

Apply

J. W. BRUCE & CO.
29 Central Street

E. H. WHITE
Successor to Fish & Plummer.
137 CENTRAL STREET

Our Motto: "Honest Representation, Fair Dealing, Justice to the Owner, Satisfaction to the Buyer."

$1500 BUYS A VERY NEAT COTTAGE HOUSE and one acre of land.

TO RENT—Fine five-room tenement and stable on Walker street; rent $15 per month.

TO RENT—Eight-room cottage, bath, hot water; rent $12 per month.

FIVE-ROOM TENEMENT on Barclay street; rent $10.50 per month.

$2400 BUYS A VERY DESIRABLE TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE on Smith street.

$2600 BUYS A FINE NINE-ROOM HOUSE on Smith street.

JOHN W. McEVOY
Counsellor-at-Law
And Public Administrator.
127 Central Street. Telephone 690-4.

HELP WANTED

WE PAID one salesman this year, from January to July, $1566 commission for selling Weir's White Lead as a side line. Write for our proposition. D. T. Weir White Lead Co., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—A kitchen girl at 179 Middlesex street.

WANTED—Good experienced cook at 13 Colburn street; one that can do meat and pastry.

WANTED—Several good second-hand show cases. P. F. Duvine, 88 Merrimack street.

MANAGER—One of the largest cereal food manufacturers in the United States located at Battle Creek, Mich., A1 credit and highest bank and commercial references, finds it necessary to open a branch office in Lowell and we want a capable man who can come well recommended to fill the position of local manager; salary $1200 per year and percentage of business done; our manager should make at least $3000 per year in this territory; must invest $100 in accordance with our co-operative plan of doing business. Address H. E. Hurvey, post office box 2314, Battle Creek, Michigan.

MEN—$12 a week at home; send addressed envelope, you can start work the moment you receive our reply; no canvassing; nothing to sell. United Product Co., Dept. 55, 200 Broadway, N. Y.

WANTED—A girl to do table work at 418 Suffolk street.

CIGAR SALESMEN WANTED; experience unnecessary; good pay. Emanuel Co., station "J," New York.

WANTED—Farm hand; extra good milker. Employment office, 29 Central street, room 10.

WANTED—At once, girl to do light housework. Call 46 Bartlett street.

A CANVASSING AGENT with small amount of money may secure the agency of a California product that can be sold to every family of Lowell and surrounding country; a fine seller for a house to house canvasser to handle with other goods; it is an article of daily consumption, and where once sold is a sure repeater; the product is not as yet introduced in Massachusetts, but hundreds of applications have been received from there. For particulars, prices and sample, address Manager, P. O. box 587, San Jose, California.

WANTED—A nursery girl at the Day nursery, First street.

WANTED—Old lady to do light housework and take care of baby. Call at 10 Reed street, evenings.

WANTED—Everywhere, hustlers to tack signs, distribute circulars, samples, etc.; no canvassing; good pay. Sun Advertising Bureau, Chicago.

OUR MEN make $3 to $10 a day fitting glasses; our 24-page Free Eye Book tells all about it; we establish you in business for yourself. Jacksonian Optical College, (Chartered), 104 Main street, Jackson, Michigan.

WANTED—Young girl to assist at general housework in small family. Address D. C., Sun office.

WANTED—At once, table girls at Merrimack house.

WANTED—Experienced salesladdies at The Reliable Cloak and Suit Store, 220 Merrimack street.

BARBER WANTED at T. J. Smith's, 284 Fayette street.

WANTED—Young men to learn pulling over. Apply at Slover & Bean's, Hood building, Thorndike street.

DRESSMAKER WANTED; apply at once. J. A. Montplaisir, room 7, Old City hall building.

WANTED—Table girl at 98 John street.

GREATEST MONEY-MAKER KNOWN—1000 per cent. on investment; no speculation, no risk; straight business. Energetic promotor wanted to form state company. Electric Advertising Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

WANTED

WANTED—Two large gas radiators; new or second hand. Inquire B. G. C., 37 State street.

FREE TO BOYS AND GIRLS—We give watches, rings, dolls and 100 other premiums for selling 20 articles for us at 10 cents each. No money required. We trust you. Write at once to Miracle Headache Powder Co., Amesbury, Mass.

BOARDERS WANTED at 367 Lincoln street, near Gorham street.

WANTED—One or two small children to take care of. Inquire Sun office.

LADIES wishing to make their own dress will now have the opportunity to learn the Pooley Dress Cutting System at 62 London street. Come now.

ANY BUSINESS can be improved by advertising it in this column.

TO LET

TO LET—Tenement of five rooms; rent reasonable. Apply 4 Everett street.

TENEMENTS in all parts of the city at all prices; we have several that will make extra warm, sunny homes for the winter. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central street.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 663 Merrimack street.

TO LET—On Merrimack street, corner Cabot, small suite of unfurnished rooms; the front room is a large sunny corner room; location fine; rent low. Inquire 661 Merrimack street.

TO LET—Nice cottage house of 6 rooms; newly painted and papered; corner Exeter and Dalton streets, Centralville. Inquire at Union Printing Co., 67 Middle street, between 12 and 1 o'clock.

TO LET—New tenements of 5 to 7 rooms each; bath, pantry, etc.; if you want a new tenement and don't like to move now on account of your coal in cellar, I will move your furniture, piano and coal free of charge. S. Lagasse, 335 Hildreth street, Centralville.

TO LET—Just what you want; front room, furnished, steam heat, bath. 26 West 6th street.

TENEMENTS TO LET—On Ludlam street, containing five rooms, with bath, pantry and large yard. Inquire on premises or Louis Clements, 414 Broadway.

TO LET—Furnished or unfurnished room; home comforts, heat, gas, bath. School street, near Pawtucket street. Inquire Sun office.

TO LET—Furnished front room, use of bath, $1 a week. 855 Middlesex street, side door.

TO LET—At 1037 Middlesex street, tenement of seven rooms with all modern improvements, in new house. Apply at Sun office.

TO LET—Cottage house, recently put in good order, in Batchelder place, off Walker street. Key next door.

TO LET—5, 6, 7-room tenements in good repair. 164 Lawrence street.

TO LET—Warm, sunny tenements for the winter: Middlesex street, 3 rooms, $7.50 per month; 4 rooms, $8, and 6 rooms, $10. Marshall street, 3 rooms, $7.50. Beside Northern depot, 3 rooms, $8, and 4 rooms $9. Concord street, 3 rooms, $5.50, and five rooms, $7.50. Centralville, 6 rooms, $9.50. Every one of the above is in first-class condition and we invite your inspection. T. H. Elliott, 61 Central street.

Furnished Rooms

Best furnished rooms in the city, with steam heat, in the Elliott building, 201 Middlesex street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By experienced laundress, washing to do at home; terms reasonable. Address M. A., this office.

WANTED—Work in an office by High school girl graduate. Address Graduate, this office.

SITUATION by all-round cook; can give reference. Address S. P., Sun office.

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper or doing general housework in family of two. Address L. D., Sun office.

WANTED—A situation at general house work by a Swede girl. Inquire 144 Wilder street.

FOR SALE

YOUR LIFE READING—Many typewritten pages concerning business, love, health, etc., free; send date, birth, sex. Address Astropathic Institute, Auditorium building, Chicago. Reason, your recommendation wanted.

FOR SALE—Large-sized Glenwood parlor stove; good condition. 115 Central St.

FOR SALE—Carrots for horses by the barrel. C. H. Cutler, 654 Mammoth road, Dracut. Tel. connection.

THE ELWOOD TEA & COFFEE CO., Davis square—We will give 35 worth of the Red, White and Blue Trading Stamps with one pound of our 50c and 60c Tea; $3 worth with one pound of our 35c Coffee. Cut this out and get your tea and coffee. Come early.

FOR SALE—Two Concords, 2 democrats, 2 Goddards, 1 doctor's phaeton, 1 Corning and two-horse truck and several others. P. A. Mackenzie, 529 Broadway. Tel. 691-2.

FOR SALE—Bakery doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 129 Branch street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a fast bay pacer, pneumatic tired wagon and Concord wagon. Inquire 222 Moody street.

LADIES, ATTENTION—Big bargains; dress goods, remnants, from the Merrimack Woolen Co. Corner store, Lakeview and Pleasant street, Navy Yard.

WHITE SEWING MACHINES at White's, 376 Bridge street.

FOR SALE—Bakery, centrally located; bargain if sold at once; stock and fixtures. Apply 117 Chapel street.

FOR SALE—St. Bernard dog; 3 years old; first class watch dog. Inquire 27 West Fourth street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, lot of land in Dracut. Inquire 236 Middlesex street.

FOR SALE—In Lawrence, an up-to-date barber shop, doing good business; must be sold at once. Inquire of G. Gullet, 31 Central street, Lowell.

FOR SALE—Oldsmobile 1902 model, emergency brake; has been but little used. Inquire Upton & Gilman's, Middlesex St.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing a good business; a good investment; ill health the cause for wishing to sell. Call at 60 Gorham street.

FOR SALE—A variety store situated in a good business neighborhood, established trade of seven years; an exceptionally fine place for one who dressmakes; poor health of owner reason for selling. For all particulars, terms, etc., inquire of E. R. Donovan, room 1, Swan block, 26 Central street. It may be your opportunity.

RUBBER STAMPS at wholesale prices, 1-in. one line stamps 15c; 1½ in., 20c; 25c ink pads, 20c; 25c ink pads, 15c; 50c linen markers, 25c; business stamps, 15c per line. J. M. Fellows, 188 Merrimack street.

MISCELLANEOUS

"THIS BEATS NEW JERSEY"—Charters procured under South Dakota laws for a few dollars; write for corporation laws, blanks, by-laws and forms to Philip Lawrence, late assistant secretary of state, Huron, Beadle Co., South Dakota.

HOW WOULD IT SUIT YOU to have your income increased? Thousands are applying the system to their profit and satisfaction; why not you? No matter what your occupation, if you have steady employment you can easily increase your earnings. Information free to all who will send name and address to A. B. C. D., Sun office.

LADIES—Our harmless remedy relieves without fail delayed or abnormally suppressed menstruation. For free trial address Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND—Dr. Mutler's Quick Cure for Lost Manhood; acts immediately; "It does the business"; sample free. Kraiger, chemist, Dept. No. 5, Milwaukee, Wis.

PIANO OR ORGAN LESSONS at your home; special pains taken with children or advanced pupils; will accompany any instrument for entertainments; years of experience. Mabel Randall, Chelmsford Centre.

STOVES—New and second hand, bought, sold and exchanged. Reliable Furniture Co., 106 Middlesex street.

MISS UPHAM, clairvoyant and life reader. Card reading 25 cents. 81 Merrimack street, corner John, over drug store, two flights up, room 14.

MARTIN HONAN, Grocer, 760 Gorham street, handles the choicest goods; quality considered, our prices are the lowest in the city; call in and see for yourself; discount stamps given.

SHIRT WAISTS GIVEN FREE at Highland Remnant Store, 30 Pine street. We want 10,000 ladies to call and see our stock of Ottomans, Vestings, Silks, Sateens, Madras Cloth, Mercerized Waistings and Shirtings, Ginghams, Flannelettes, etc., which we carry and sell by the yard and pound. Come and be convinced that you can buy more and better goods here for your money than you can get in any other place in the city. Highland Remnant Store.

MRS. ADAMS, Clairvoyant and Card Reader and ladies' employment office, 355 Gorham street, opp. Court house.

LIMBERG—Chimney expert; chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1128 Bridge street. Telephone.

MUSIC—German zither music furnished at reasonable rates for concerts, dinner parties, church entertainments and home socials. John C. Hansen, Don Marcho studio.

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SWORN CIRCULATION FOR SEPTEMBER

The sworn daily average circulation of the Lowell Sun for the month of September, 1903, was **14,632** A gain of 1125 copies per day over the average for the year of 1902.

Sworn to by Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilotte, pressman of The Sun, before me, Oct. 1, 1903.

WILLIAM A. HOGAN, Notary Public.

☞This is a larger circulation than the combined circulation of all the other daily papers in Lowell.

☞An advertisement placed in The Sun is of more value to the advertiser than if it were inserted in all the other newspapers in Lowell, and the cost of inserting it in The Sun is about ONE THIRD the price charged by the other papers.

It is reported that ex-Governor Crane is to succeed Mark Hanna as chairman of the national republican committee. While the ex-governor is a good general he will never succeed as a fat fryer, an art in which Hanna had no equal.

The new advertisements in the street cars and on bill boards would indicate that the republicans are badly scared. But for the advantage of being in office Bates would not have the ghost of a show in a contest with Col. Gaston.

THE TEWKSBURY MYSTERY.

The clouds are gathering over the Tewksbury almshouse. Let us hope the industry of tanning human hides has not been revived. The poisoning of eleven inmates seems shrouded in mystery. Somebody has either blundered or perpetrated a crime. A searching investigation should be made.

THE IMPORTANCE OF TUESDAY'S ELECTION.

The democrats of Lowell have been sufficiently informed of the reasons why they should support the party ticket and why if they did not feel it imperative to vote for their own party they should vote against the opposition party.

The issues of the campaign have been thoroughly discussed. The most important state issue is the extravagance of Governor Bates' administration which added $1,000,000 to the state tax in a single year. The mere increase is not so serious as the lack of business tact displayed by the governor and which may result in even a greater increase next year.

The next issue in point of importance is the flagrant manner in which the governor interfered with the rights of municipalities to manage their own affairs. The city of Boston, generally admitted to be the most cultured in this country, was not deemed intelligent enough to be allowed to enrol its own voters. The state police had to be called in to do the work and a pretty muddle they made of it. The fact that a member of this body of state police is held on a charge of murder while another is held on a charge of assault and attempted robbery is a damaging testimonial to that body.

There are various other issues upon which Governor Bates is severely arraigned; but they are of minor importance, although in the aggregate they prove conclusively that the governor is not a safe business man, that he lacks the tact and the judgment so essential to success in the administration of the affairs of a great office.

Another matter that should be considered before going to the polls next Tuesday is, that the election of Governor Bates would be taken as an endorsement by the Bay State of republican rule in the nation. Now, this is the very thing that should be withheld.

Do the people approve of the trusts, of the imperial policy, of the corruption in the postal department, of the land grafting in the interior department? If they do not they should defeat the republican ticket in this state.

The election of Colonel Gaston would have the same effect as a vote of censure by the state of Massachusetts on the national republican administration. That is just what is needed.

Therefore, if the people cannot change the national regime, they can show their disapproval of its acts in the various states by voting against the party it represents.

This would have a salutary effect in causing the republican party to go slow in the matter of sheltering combinations that usurp the government function of levying tribute upon the masses.

This is what the trusts do when they fix the prices of commodities and stamp out all competition.

The defeat of Governor Bates would be a rebuke to the national administration and a warning that unless the republicans change their policy a national defeat will follow later on.

The national interest in the Massachusetts election this year is shown by the fact that Secretary Shaw came here to save the day for Bates. The president feels alarmed when he sends a member of his cabinet here to take the stump for Bates.

Colonel Gaston has put up a gallant battle for democratic principles and policies and democrats and republicans alike will serve their own interests best by voting for him. His election would spread consternation in the republican ranks throughout the nation and would undoubtedly lead to a policy more favorable to the people. Thus every voter in Massachusetts can use his suffrage to a good end by voting the entire democratic ticket. The undisturbed control of one political party in state and nation is dangerous.

REFORMS DEMANDED BY FARMERS' CONGRESS.

The Farmers' Congress recently held at Niagara Falls adopted a platform well worthy of consideration by all political parties. It embodies some of the most important reforms as follows:

1. Favoring a constitutional amendment empowering congress to levy a graduated income tax.
2. Asking the federal congress to pass a constitutional amendment providing for the direct election of United States senators by popular vote.
3. Urging congress to establish a parcel post, a postal telegraph and postal savings banks.
4. Asking for further federal legislation for the control of corporations and the enforcement of laws already enacted.
5. Urging upon the railways the importance of giving better rates, disapproving of the certificate plan and asking for stopover privileges.
6. Thanking Secretary Wilson for his efforts in the interests of agriculture; especially for recommending the establishment of an office for the assistance of the state institutes and thanking congress for establishing his office a year ago.
7. Favoring the broadening of parcel transportation facilities.
8. Urging the importance of maintaining and extending the present free rural mail routes.
9. In support of the non-partisan movement for the extension of the referendum.

The first, second, fourth and fifth planks of this platform should be endorsed by the entire people of the United States. They have already formed a part of the platforms of the democratic party in more than one national contest.

The income tax law was annulled by the supreme court; the purchase of seats in the United States senate makes the popular election of senators imperative. It has been found also by bitter experience that the U. S. senate, together with the exercise of the presidential veto power are serious bars to the giving effect to the will of the people.

As to the proper control of corporations that is still a problem that puzzles both parties. The farmers by the adoption of this platform have shown themselves to be a lot of intelligent men. They might, however, have gone a little farther and demanded the removal of the tariff on hides, the raw material for the manufacture of boots and shoes. If the tariff was of any use to the farmers it might justly be retained in spite of its injurious effect upon the boot and shoe industry; but it is the Chicago packers, not the farmers who reap the benefit of the tariff on hides

THE SHAMROCK C[illegible]

PRESIDENT O'RAFFERTY ON [illegible] LUCE JOINT CAUCUS LAW.

(Springfield Union.)

"What's this loose-j'int law I hears thim talkin' about?" inquired Grogan.

"Why, man dear, 'tis the corkis law," replied President O'Rafferty. "I thought iv'ry wan knew that."

"Thin why do they call it the loose-j'int law?" persisted Grogan.

"I dunno, onless it's because it tolghtens up some ov the loose j'ints in the ould law. Finnerty sez a man named L-u-c-e wuz behind it, but Lucy is a gir-rl's name an' I don't believe it. Betwanne you an' me, Grogan, there's a big howl agin this new law. It intherferes wid the roights ov the citizens. Endher the ould law a man's a Dimmycrat or a Rapoublican as the notion takes him, or if he doesn't want to be nyther he can be a Probishnist or a Socialist. He can be wan today, an' the other tomorror, an' nayther the next day, or all four at the same toime. If there's annything in it he can collect all 'round, an' nobody the wiser. 'Twuz a good law for the man wid a few cards up his sleeve, for it let him in on iv'ry deal. Ye cudn't stack the cards on him, an' it made no diffrunce how many toimes ye changed the pack.

"Thin, there's the man who's too noice for anny party, yer ould frind, the mugwump. He's a Rapoublican until the nominyations are made, an' thin he's Dimmycrat. He wants to run both parties, an' a little party ov his own besoides, an' he's nivver happy onless he's in throubble wid wan or the other. Poor man, undher the new law he'll have to identify himself wid wan party if he wants to vote in the corkises, an' he'll have to shtay wid that party until he gets a legal transfer to another. There'll be no rain checks for him good for the next game, an' he can't renegg. 'Tis an outrage on individyoul liberty an' a blow at the freedom ov the repniter.

"'Must free-born Amurrican citizens wear the yoke ov some machine ruled party?' sez the mugwump. 'Must we be branded loike so many cattle? Are we to be denoid the privilege ov voting as many toimes and as many tickets as we folkes? Where is our boasted freedom, an' how are we to maintain the purity ov the ballot if we have to vote for the min we nomynate? We rebel they, 'an' we'll [illegible] attimpt to legalize [illegible] the roights ov [illegible]ere wid yo,' sez [illegible] to become ov us [illegible] illegel to vote in the corkises of all parties? 'Twill be takin' the bread out ov the mouths ov our poor childher. Good min wid the shtuff to pay will shtand no chance ov a nommynation. Rapoublicans will have to run their corkises widout the assistance ov experienced Dimmycrats loike us, an' the Dimmycrats will have to folght their battles undher the ladership ov min that don't know how to turn a thrick. Down wid the loose-j'int law,' sez they. 'Down wid the attimpt to throttle a vote for the heighest bidder.' And the mugwump an' the honest grafter jines hands to protect their roights."

"Well, haven't a man the roight to vote as he plazes?" asked Grogan.

"He have that," replied O'Rafferty. "Onless he votes in too many corkises. You have a roight to marry who ye plaze, but Lord help ye if ye thry to run another man's family."

BARGE PARTY

UNDER AUSPICES OF SIGMA SIGMA CLUB.

Under the auspices of the Sigma Sigma club, an organization in connection with the First Baptist church, a barge ride to Chelmsford Centre last night took place, and at the home of Miss Lena Parker in that town a genuine Hallowe'en party was held with all the accessories that make such an occasion one of the greatest enjoyment.

The party left the post office in one of Hanson's mammoth barges at 7.30 o'clock, and the trip, which occupied a little more than an hour, was enlivened with songs.

Upon the arrival of the party at Chelmsford Centre refreshments were served, and the remainder of the evening was spent in a most pleasant manner with songs, recitations and games. The party left the town about twelve o'clock, tired, but satisfied that they had had a good time.

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Each section has a sliding glass door front.

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F. J. Wiley, Cured of General Debility, Says:

To Prof. Munyon: To all it may concern. I take pleasure in saying a good word for Munyon's Paw-Paw. Seeing the advertisement that samples would be distributed free from the News office, and having suffered for years from general debility, mental depression, no appetite, and lack of interest in the daily duties of life, I availed myself of the free offer and noted at once a change for the better. I have used less than one large bottle of Munyon's Paw-Paw and must say it has made a new man of me. It certainly is a wonderful remedy and should be in every home.

(Signed) F. J. WILEY.
Manchester, N. H.

Thomas J. Byrne, Cured of Chronic Catarrh of the Stomach.

I have for years suffered with palpitation of the heart due to nervousness, superinduced by a chronic case of catarrh of the stomach. Mr. Buck, a grateful patient of yours from Portland, wrote me calling my attention to your wonderful discovery, Paw-Paw.

I have used three bottles and now am entirely well and I hand this testimonial to you, doctor, unsolicited.

Thanking you, I am
Yours truly,
(Signed) THOS. J. BYRNE,
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"Chauffeurs" Cloth and Leather Caps

and Automobile Jackets of leather with corduroy linings.

BILLY GARDNER

Will Quit the Boxing Game

HE HAS ENGAGED IN SEVENTY ONE BOUTS

Only Six Decisions Against Him

Billy Gardner will retire from the boxing game at the close of this year. The Lowell boy says that there is not enough money now to attract a man unless he is a champion. While Billy has made considerable coin during his career, yet he feels that in proportion to the time and energy spent in preparing for his contests the compensation is not commensurate and he will seek a living at some other occupation not so exacting and more stable.

He has been in the ring seven years and in that time has engaged in 71 bouts, meeting all comers who were willing to face him, and never resorting to the game of picking his opponents even when he stood well with the club managers in Boston and had an opportunity to select his men with a view to facing easy marks when he had the chance. He is a game little fellow and during his career has been beaten only six times. Many of his bouts that were called draws would have been awarded him on points had not a previous arrangement been made that in case both men were on their feet at the close of the prescribed number of rounds the bout should be a draw. Billy is yet a young man, being only about 21 years of age and today he is looking better than ever before in his life. He has taken good care of himself, with the result that he enjoys fine health. He has a good bank account, which fact speaks of his careful ways, and after the first of the year will branch out in some business.

Below is a record of Billy's ring career:

1896.			
May 11.	K	Mike Connelly, Manchester,	4
May 28.	K	Jack Welsh, Manchester.	7
June 22.	K	Scotty Coyne, Manchester,	10
June 27.	W	Jimmy Stewart	20
1897.			
Feb. 24.	W	Jimmy Walsh,	4
March 24.	D	Patsey Sweeney, Hooksct.	5
March 28	D	Patsey Sweeney, Lynn,	10
April 4.	K	P. St. Dennis, Manchester,	5
April 27.	W	Scotty Coyne, Manchester	3
1898.			
May 1.	K	Sammy Lewis, Glen Falls,	7
May 12.	K	Mike Collins, Haverhill	3
May 28.	W	E. Hornbecker,	4
1899.			
March 3.	W	Billy Chisholm, Lowell.	12
March 12.	K	Tommy Heffernan, Boston,	3
March 29.	W	Henry Senter, Boston.	3
April 7.	K	Joe Coppinger, Boston,	2
April 19.	K	Young Carney, Lowell,	4
May 24.	D	Andy Daly, Lowell,	15
May 30.	W	Geo. Boles, Hartford,	10
June 16.	K	Young Swanson, Lowell,	3
Aug. 29.	D	Martin Flaherty, Wallingford	6
Oct. 10.	L	Andy Daly, New York,	6
Nov. 8.	K	Dan Brennan, New York,	5
Nov. 28.	K	Lou Meyers, New York,	8
1900.			
Jan. 15.	W	Young Mack, Boston,	4
Feb. 12.	K	Lou Morgan, Brooklyn,	1
Feb. 22.	D	Andy Daly, Boston,	15
March 6.	D	Fred Dinsdale, Clinton,	6
April 6.	L	Tommy Sullivan, Boston,	15
April 19.	K	Jack O'Brien, Brockton,	11
May 2.	W	Billy Barrett, Boston.	15
May 25.	W	Austin Rice, Manchester,	15
June 26.	D	Austin Rice, Manchester,	15
Aug. 8.	D	Mike Sears, Lynn.	15
Sept. 3.	W	Jimmy Davenport, Manch'r,	3
Oct. 25.	K	Jack Smith, Brockton,	6
Nov. 5.	K	Andy Daly, Lawrence,	11
Nov. 20.	W	Billy Chisholm, Lowell,	15
Dec. 11.	W	Jimmy Briggs, Boston,	12
Dec. 31.	K	Tim Harrington, Boston,	8
1901.			
Jan. 11.	K	Dan Snyder, Manchester.	3
Feb. 12.	K	Patsey Haley, Manchester,	14
March 11.	K	Ben de Barry, Cambridge,	8
March 12.	K	Ned Maher, Lowell,	1
March 29.	K	Joe Flaherty, Lowell,	4
April 19.	K	Tommy Sullivan, Lowell,	11
May 29.	K	George Phelan, Manchester,	4
June 21.	K	Kid Rogers, Boston,	1
July 12.	L	Kid Broad, Bridgeport, Ct.,	15
July 25.	D	M. Flaherty, Lowell,	20
Oct. 19.	K	Young Sayo, Manchester,	5
Nov. 28.	W	Tommy Hogan, Boston,	6
Dec. 30.	W	Arthur Cote, Biddeford,	15
Dec. 3	K	Billy Critch, Boston,	2
1902.			
Jan. 21.	D	Andy Watson, Gloucester,	6
Feb. 22.	K	Eddie Connolly, Boston,	4
March 11.	D	Martin Flaherty, Boston,	10
April 19.	K	Jack Carrig, Boston,	6
May 5.	D	Mike Sullivan, Boston,	6
May 19.	D	(tested) Jack Carrig, Boston,	10
Nov. 18.	D	Toby Irwin, San Francisco,	15
1903			
Jan. 15.	L	(tested) Danny Duane, Boston,	8
Feb. 11.	L	Willie Fitzgerald, Boston,	1
April 17.	K	Arthur Cote, Biddeford, Me.,	6
May 1.	W	Bobfield Wolcott, Boston,	12
May 12.	W	Jimmy Kelley, Fall River,	10
Aug. 10.	K	Willie Lewis, Fall River,	7
Sept. 8.	K	Fred Bryson, Boston,	3
Sept. 16.	K	Tommy Daly, Boston,	12
Sept. 22.	W	Danny Duane, Fall River,	13
Oct. 7.	L	Honey Mellody, Boston,	19

Jimmy Gardner has decided to return to Lowell and with his young wife will occupy a house adjoining that of his parents.

It is the intention of George Gardner when he returns east to secure an interest in the hotel business either in this city or Boston.

$17,000 STOLEN

DETECTIVES ARE MAKING A SEARCH FOR BUCK.

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—Detectives are scouring Boston, aided by the police, for a clue to Alfred A. Buck, the assistant cashier of the Mapleton State bank, of Mapleton, Minn., alleged to have stolen $17,000. The man is believed to be in hiding in this city. He disappeared October 13, leaving a letter behind in which he set forth his shortage. He is 32 years old, five feet ten inches tall, weighs 245 pounds and is of good appearance. Buck is known to be heavily armed and is said to have written to his friends that he would fight before he would permit himself to be arrested. He has also written that he would kill himself before he would permit himself to be taken.

HALLOWE'EN PRANKS.

Tonight is Hallowe'en, so look out for fun and pranks. The celebration of this occasion dates back centuries, and it has lost none of its popularity among some of our people. In old days All Hallows eve was merrily celebrated. The stranger was brought in and bade be merry o'er the hearth. Apples were split for him and the wassail stirred. A great bowl of milk had baked apples in it and roasted pears cut up and stirred to mush. There were floating nuts and divers things for divers kinds of digestions. So very merry were those days of All Hallows that it took three days to celebrate them, and the farm-hands that kept the lands were just able to tend the lowing kine and neighing horses. Mine host and his guests lived nights with their boots on and drank the wassail merrier and merrier as the days went on. Matches were made and lovers met, and the old, old story, ever new, was repeated, just as it is in these days and as it will be while human life lasts.

Our Hallowe'en is a festival for the old as well as the young; a game in which grown-up folk can indulge without loss of dignity. The young woman can become a child again, and the man a boy. All hands are bent on having a good time, and the games are those played long years ago.

Are you invited to a Hallowe'en party? If not, get "next" at once, or have a Hallowe'en party of your own. A tub, a cake, a looking glass, a candle and stick, a ring hidden somewhere in the cake—knives, nuts, candy and fruit, and if you are looking for fun you will get all is coming to you.

California Prune Wafers

Cure Biliousness *and* Constipation

The best family medicine for old *and* young. Made from fresh California Prunes, they contain in a highly concentrated form all the medical properties *of* a healthful laxative without any mineral or other objectionable ingredients

100 WAFERS, 25 CENTS

YOU CAN EAT WHAT YOU PLEASE if you follow each meal with a CALIFORNIA PRUNE WAFER which quickly dissolves the most indigestible food, and helps to carry it through and out of the system in a gentle and healthful manner, without the slightest pain, arising or nausea.

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Coal $6.75 Per Ton

Coke $5 Per Chal.

Dry Bobbin Wood, 5 Baskets $1.00
Dry Cord Wood, 5 Baskets $1.00

The Lowell Coal Co.

43 Central St. 15 Thorndike St.

BABY'S FINGERS

Caused Imprint on Window Pane in Fall River

By Associated Press to The Sun

FALL RIVER, Oct. 31—Little Eliza Cross, with some soap and hot water, disposed of the "psychic phenomena" described as a manifestation of the supernatural in the form of an ineradicable hand imprint on the kitchen window pane.

Little Eliza's youthful arm was directed by an energetic mind that knew that the spot on the glass was no outward and visible sign of the visitation of a power from the great beyond. So she rubbed out the prints of four fingers and a thumb made upon the glass of the kitchen window of her father's home at 91 Reeves street; the marks, some one said, had been placed there to show the little girl that she was in error in being skeptical about spiritualism.

Little Eliza spoiled what might have been a choice subject for psychical research when she scrubbed and polished that window pane. But she did not know what destruction she was bringing about when she erased the spot. She did not know that it had been placed there by a power not amenable to the laws which govern acts of the mundane population. She did not know that she was trespassing with soap, water and a cloth upon the premises of the distinctively occult in metaphysics.

She did not know that those stains were signals to unbelievers. She did not know that it had been said that all the soap in Bristol county, all the hot water in the mill boilers, all the cleansing acids ever in solution could not wash it out, and that she could have cried like Macbeth for "All great Neptune's ocean," without making an impression on the stain.

All the innocent girl knew of the porpentousness of her act was, "the window was dirty and I washed it."

But yesterday afternoon little Eliza realized fully what she had done; she opened her deep, blue eyes and looked Fame full in the face. An army of photographers, newspaper writers and past masters in metaphysics tramped across the rocky field to the three-story white tenement house on Reeves street where Thomas Cross lives with his six children, of which Eliza is the eldest. They were there full of confidence and ambition, to scrutinize, measure, photograph and trace the mysterious hand mark and transmit the inexplicable formation to thousands of the skeptical.

Little Eliza, with the soap suds dripping off her small white hands, suspended the operation of washing the floor long enough to wonder and to explain. Eliza is the "little mother" of five small children now. While her father toils in the cotton mill the small daughter cares for the motherless children.

For 10 long weeks Mrs. Cross was sick. The tender nursing of her little daughter and her friends made her comfortable, but it could not save her life. During that long period there was little time for Eliza to attend to the daily ablutions of her little sisters and brothers.

So it happened one warm day in September that the chubby fingers of the baby of the family, browned by the soil of the street, were pressed against the window pane in a signal to one of his playmates outside. The sun burned the imprint, and it remained on the glass for several weeks. Passers by saw it, but marveled not.

But, lo, one day there came by a space writer, a student, a delver into mysteries of the old world, a man with an imagination like unto that of those who have so graphically described the feats of the Indian necromancers. He saw, and even as he saw, he knew that here was coin. That which had passed for the commonplace and ordinary, under the revelations of the prophet whose name, unfortunately cannot be handed down to posterity, became the manifestation of the supernatural.

But even as the oracle was passing little Eliza was pouring the hot water from the kettle to the pail. As the prophet was wending his way ruminating across the field little Eliza was rubbing the soap over the saturated cloth.

As he was dipping his fevored pen into the ink well and imposing upon the papers of a continent, the little mother of the house was fast obliterating that spot, unmindful of the fact that she was actually rubbing out a great discovery.

In the words of little Eliza: "The baby put his dirty fingers on the window and I washed out the marks as soon as I had time."

Then the little girl apologized to the photographers, the reporters, the metaphysicians and other scientists, for allowing the window pane to remain stained so long.

"But mother was sick so long, and then she died, and I haven't had any one to help me since," was the little mother's plaintive explanation of that "psychic phenomenon."

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TO BE PUT OUT OF COMMISSION.

By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Orders have been issued to put the cruiser Chicago out of commission at the New York navy yard, with a view to her complete repair for service as flagship of the Pacific station. She will replace the New York which will be assigned to the North Atlantic station.

SACRED HEART BOYS WON.

Hurrah for the Sacred Heart parochial school football eleven! They trounced the Butler schools yesterday afternoon by the score of 11 to 0. Mike O'Loughlin, John Craig and Richard Robinson were the stars of the victorious team. Swelled Punk Rogers of the vanquished team, as usual, kicked at everything but the ball. He had better buy a book on football and study it for a few hours; then he might be fast enough for the Day Nursery eleven.

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PARKS GREEK ability GUILTY

The Jury Was Out Only Twelve Minutes

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEW YORK, Oct. 31—For the second time within two months Samuel J. Parks, walking delegate of Housesmiths and Bridgemen's local union, 2, was convicted of the crime of extortion in the court of general sessions yesterday afternoon.

It took the jury just twelve minutes and two ballots to agree on the guilt of Parks. He was accused of extorting $500 from the builders of the Tiffany studios, under threat of keeping them from continuing their work last January.

Parks was defended by a distinguished array of counsel, which included ex-Assistant District Attorneys James W. Osborne, Bartow S. Weeks and George Gordon Battle. It was shown that Parks had obtained $500 from the Tiffany firm as an "initiation fee" last January, when the housesmiths and bridgemen were on strike on three of the Tiffany contracts in this city. Parks claimed that this money was a fine levied by his labor union.

During the trial the fact developed that Parks had been disloyal to his union, inasmuch as he permitted the Tiffany firm to employ non-union men on certain jobs after having received the $500.

THE CHARGE NOT DENIED.

The accusation was not denied by the defendant or his counsel during the trial. Mr. Osborne contended that Parks had given the money to the treasurer of his organization, and that the entire transaction was a business deal, which, instead of being a crime, afforded considerable business advantage to the firm which paid the money. During the trial the counsel for Parks endeavored to introduce certificates as to the prisoner's delicate state of health, but Judge Newburger refused to admit them.

Mr. Osborne made an excellent defence, although he had very weak grounds to stand upon, while Mr. Rand, on behalf of the people, placed Parks in a very enviable light before both the public and his fellow unionists.

For a time it looked as if Mr. Osborne's efforts had made a deep impression on a few of the jurymen, but if any of them favored the prisoner before the case was given to them by Judge Newburger, the brief charge by the court was sufficient to clear their minds of any doubt as to Parks' guilt. In his charge Judge Newburger said that it made no difference what disposition Parks made of the money after he had obtained it from the representatives of the Tiffany firm, if, in the belief of the jurymen, he had obtained it under a threat, direct or implied, as that fact would constitute extortion, the crime charged against the prisoner.

KNEW IT WAS UNFAVORABLE.

When the jury returned to court the prisoner as well as his counsel knew that the verdict would be an unfavorable one for them. When the jury was polled and the prisoner ordered to stand up when the verdict was rendered, Parks glared at the jurymen with the same look of defiance he has maintained during this as well as his previous trial.

Parks is far from being a well man, as he is afflicted with tuberculosis of both lungs. When he was remanded for sentence a week hence he walked out of the court crestfallen.

Parks is now awaiting the decision of the higher courts on a writ of error, having been sentenced to a term of not less than two and a half nor more than three and a half years in Sing Sing prison where he spent a few days before being released on the writ.

The charge on which his former conviction was secured was extortion also.

Parks' previous conviction was for having extorted $50 from Josephus Plenty. Four other indictments for extortion are pending against him, and one for perjury, incident to his testimony in the Plenty case.

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WED AT MIDNIGHT

Lovers Were Not to be Denied

By Associated Press to The Sun

SOUTH MANCHESTER, Conn., Oct. 31.—After traveling across the Atlantic in pursuit of his sweetheart, who was waiting here to wed him notwithstanding the injunction of her parents, Albert Robertshaw claimed his bride at midnight and started on his honeymoon early yesterday morning.

Miss Edith Drysdale, the bride, came to South Manchester two months ago to visit her relatives. Her parents objected to the attentions of Robertshaw in Ireland, where the young couple lived four miles apart. But when he wrote and asked his sweetheart if she would wed him here, she promptly cabled an affirmative answer.

Robertshaw sailed on a steamer for Boston, which was the first he could get. He cabled that he would reach here last Wednesday night. Miss Drysdale's relatives, who were persuaded to sympathize with her, made preparations for the wedding on an extensive scale. Invitations were issued and the trousseau prepared. Rev. Geo. P. Rogers, a clergyman of Wales, Mass, a friend of the bride's family, was on hand.

But when all was in readiness for the bridegroom Wednesday night, a telegram from Boston announced his steamer overdue. For 24 hours Miss Drysdale was very nervous, but yesterday came the news of the arrival of the ship. The wedding guests again assembled at 7 p.m., when the wedding was to occur, but though the bridegroom arrived he could not find the town clerk to get a license.

With his bride-to-be he searched the town for the clerk, to learn that he had left town for the night. Taking a carriage, Robertshaw drove to the clerk, who consented to return. The license was issued in time for the ceremony at midnight, and the guests made merry until an early hour.

Robertshaw is the son of the president of an insurance company in Ireland, and his bride is of a prominent family. The couple will reside in South Manchester, and Robertshaw will engage in business in Hartford.

SERVICE FOR MEN

DR. C. H. MEAD OF NEW YORK THE SPEAKER—CORNET AND VOCAL SOLOS.

The speaker at the Y. M. C. A. meeting for men in First Congregational church, Sunday at 4 p. m., will be Dr. C. H. Mead of New York, a mere mention of whose name in places where he has once spoken, is sufficient to draw a full house. He is the kind of man one never tires of; always something new to talk about, and no matter how long he speaks when he stops you wish he had only begun. The exercises will be opened with a rousing song service which will be thoroughly enjoyed by the men. There will be cornet solos by Roscoe McDaniel and vocal solos by Nettie S. Roberts, who will also sing with cornet obligato by Mr. McDaniel. Every man will want to attend this service.

A TONE WIZARD.

Mr. Harold Bauer, the noted pianist who is coming to Lowell next Thursday, is brought here by the M. Steinert Son's Co. and all lovers of music should show their appreciation of such enterprise on the part of one of our local business houses, by turning out in large numbers to hear this eminent musician, of whom the New York Post has the following to say:

"Paderewski himself could not have produced more ravishing effects of tone-color than Mr. Bauer did. It was one of the wonders of the musical season. What need is there of orchestra when such tone-colors can be produced on a piano by a tone-wizard!

LOWELL ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY.

One only needs to read in another column the elaborate and attractive array of talent which the Lowell Orchestral society offers to its patrons during the present season to be convinced that the society is doing its share towards keeping the musical art in Lowell on a high plane and affording its devotees the highest kind of pleasure. And all this at a trivial cost. One may well wonder how such artists as Ruby Cutter Savage and husband; Maud McCarty, the talented violinist; Mme. Rosa Linde and her charming daughter, the latter having been invited by the great Sembrich to sing with her in opera; Rudolph Krasset, the new 'cellist of the Boston Symphony, and all the others and more not yet mentioned, can be presented for the paltry sum of 25 cents for each recital. The great inquiry for tickets means that Huntington hall is going to be crowded and well it might be. To remedy the great inconvenience of standing in line several hours in the biting air, the first choice of reserved seats will be sold at auction next Wednesday, Nov. 4th, at 2.30 p.m. in Huntington hall. In the past the premiums have been very insignificant. After the auction, seats can be secured the following day at Austin's music store. The price of a season ticket, giving two reserved seats and admitting to all the rehearsals at Odd Fellows hall is $3.00. The first recital is Nov. 15th.

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Mr. A. E. L., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I was born with a love of whiskey and drank it for 32 years. It finally brought me to the gutter, homeless and friendless. I was powerless to resist the craving and would steal and lie to get whiskey. Four boxes cured me of all desire and I now hate the smell of liquor."

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FOR SMUGGLING

Three Men Arrested in Boston

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Samuel Grumberg, S. Burman and C. A. Baetler, were arrested yesterday on a charge of smuggling lace curtains, valued at about $2500 into this port.

The complaint is Ralph W. Clayton, a treasury employe connected with the New York office, who alleges that the three men with the other who has not yet been taken into custody, conspired to make a false entry concerning lace curtains.

They were arraigned before United States Commissioner Fiske and held in $5,000 each for a hearing on December 1.

BASKET BALL

Tonight the battle begins.

Now, Bill Kelliher, do your best and take the opening game.

The Lowell team will have the most attractive uniform in the league.

Manager Smith of Manchester is sending out season tickets.

It will be Lew against Kelliher tonight. Jimmy Harrington will oppose McFarland.

"Butchy" McDonald, Charlie Connors and John Tierney are likely to be league referees.

Mike Qualey says that the Manchester team cannot be tempted by the too generous offers of the Connecticut leaguers.

Concord, Lowell and Manchester are the heaviest salaried teams in the league. The great battle will come between these three, too, according to all "doping" on reputation and form.

Connecticut league salaries are on paper only. Beware of them you fellows who want to get the real money. Gray, Driscoll, Smith, Stewart, Newton and Van Zant will deliver the goods regularly, so hold on to what you have before you try new fields.

Charlie King will be given a try out with the Shawlights in their game with the Lexington A. C. He has been exercising in the local Y. M. C. A. gymnasium and has reduced himself to his normal weight. He'll make good all right.

Manager Gray looks for the most successful season in the history of basketball. He says that the game is booming all over New England and that Lowell will prove to be the banner town. The first local game will be played next Thursday night and fish horns, cow bells and other noise making machines will be in order.

When you come to think of it Lowell has turned out about as many and as clever men as are playing the game today. Just look at the old Burke bunch that Jimmy Redmond brought into prominence. They defeated the cream of the national league and turned the trick on the best of them hereabouts. Then take the P. A. C. men with Allard at their head. Mike McManmon, too, was an old reliable, and there were others of the stamp of Oscar McFarland. Lowell has held the lead in basketball since the game was first played here and this year will find the city standing by its reputation.

George Sexton, formerly captain and right guard of the Shawlight 2nd team, has signed with the Derby, Conn. Y. M. C. A. team. He is a valuable player to have on any team, being remarkably fast on his feet, and has a good eye for the basket. The Derby quintet is considered one of the fastest teams in Connecticut and has the proud distinction of having on its team Mickey Cannon, who holds the Connecticut state record for scoring baskets in a single game.

Mayor Howe has accepted an invitation to attend the opening game of basket ball in this city. Manager Gray saw the mayor last night and his honor agreed to toss the ball into the range at the opening game. There will be a brass band in attendance and the season will be opened in a blaze of glory.

There has been such a demand for seats that Manager Gray decided to put them on sale early and today he placed the reserved seats in Ellingwood's for the accommodation of patrons of the game.

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Mansfield In "Old Heidelberg."
"Marta of the Lowlands"

PLAYS of THE HOUR

Sothern In "The Proud Prince."
"Babes In Toyland" a Hit

THE new Lyric theater has begun its career auspiciously with Richard Mansfield in "Old Heidelberg." The playhouse is large and tastefully decorated, the stage room is ample, and, altogether, the inaugural attraction is well cared for.

"Old Heidelberg" is familiar to many theater goers. Aubrey Boucicault has starred in it, and the picturesque German production has also been seen at the Irving Place theater in this city. Mr. Mansfield's presentation of the play has charm and artistic finish. In the leading role of Karl Heinrich he invests the character with dignity and conforms strictly and consistently to the character as the author, Wilhelm Meyer-Forster, originally created it.

German Atmosphere.

Mr. Mansfield sought atmosphere in the staging of "Old Heidelberg" and was successful, though in one or two minor instances he might have done better perhaps. The play consists of five acts, the action taking place partly at Karlsburg and partly at Heidelberg.

The story of the young prince who has been brought up to know life only as a narrow minded, joyless old uncle (reigning over Sachsen-Karlsburg) chooses to reveal it to him is illustrated sympathetically by Mr. Mansfield. The stiffness, constraint, hesitancy, lack of initiative worn into the young man's very soul Mr. Mansfield does not entirely dispel even after the prince goes to Heidelberg with his old tutor, Dr. Juttner (A. G. Andrews). Once in Heidelberg, with its gay, rollicking students ever ready to burst into song, with its pretty barmaids and foaming fruit of the tap, the youth and the professor immediately seek to forget the existence of books, of everything, in fact, except the rare vintages that make the old feel young and the young feel very, very old even in other places than old Heidelberg.

To the young prince, whose eyes are now opening to the pleasures of the world, all is like a dream, a paradise on earth. He learns to laugh, to frolic with the best of them, to make love to dainty Kathie (Grace Elliston), a valued helper of Innkeeper Ruder, an excitable, obese old soul who finds this life "too much for one man."

But when the awakening comes and Karl has to return to Karlsburg to take up the reins of state because of the mortal illness of his uncle the lad finds it a tremendous sacrifice to leave the scenes of the only pleasures he has ever known, to leave Kathie.

The tragic comedy of the play is no more pronounced than at the time when, two years later, Karl hurriedly decides to go back to Heidelberg to see once more, but only for a few moments, the spot with such precious reminiscences. Kathie is still there, but the students have changed. The peace dispelling revelers of the prince's time have given way to dignified classmen who pride themselves on their knowledge and practice of the usages of formality. They drink and clink steins in unison, as one might say, by number, just as a recruit in the army learns to "right shoulder arms." They sing for the honored guest. At a word all rise in straight lines along either side of a table and chant in a singsong, dingdong fashion from books! All this reminds Karl that his day is past; only Kathie is the same. He really loves her, but he cannot marry her. For reasons of state he must give her up and marry a princess. So they separate.

The singing of the German students in act 2 is delightful. It is a treat in chorus work such as one seldom hears. A. G. Andrews is excellent as Dr. Juttner. Leslie Kenyon as Lutz, Prince Karl's consequential valet de chambre, has a showy part and is good.

"Marta of the Lowlands."

"Marta of the Lowlands" at the Manhattan theater is an interesting presentation of underlife in [illegible] more explicit, in the province [illegible] lonia, Corona Riccardo, who [illegible] tive Spaniard, plays the title r[illegible] ceptably. Hobart Bosworth as [illegible] lich, a shepherd, the role second [illegible] that of Marta, throws life and vigor into every scene in which he appears, but at the same time his physical being militates against him in that it has nothing in it suggesting the Spaniard. He is broad, bulky and Anglo-Saxon as opposed to the insinuating, lithe, sinuous Latin.

As a picture of love, intrigue and passion in life among the lowly "Marta" is accurate, conforming strictly to the atmosphere in which the figures act. The people in the play rotate around a common center, Marta, the daughter, now grown up, of a beggar woman long dead. Marta as presented by Senorita Riccardo is a creature of intensity, an extremist. She knows no middle way. She either loves or she hates. Clearly she is not one to make possible a platonic friendship.

Marta comes under the influence of Sebastian, a land wealthy planter and mill owner with less principle than a veteran lobbyist, and, hear ye, that is saying a great deal. While a mere child the Spaniard deceives Marta, she not realizing the meaning of her relations with her master.

Finally, however, the time comes when Sebastian desires to marry the daughter of a wealthy friend. To put Marta out of the way he forces her into wedding the shepherd Manelich. He is simple minded, having more knowledge of goats and sheep than of men and women. Sebastian's idea is to maintain his former relations with Marta, using the shepherd as a blind. He overreaches himself. The shepherd falls in love with Marta, and she with him, after learning that Manelich really loves her and had not been bought into marrying her. Manelich gradually sees through Sebastian's scheme. He becomes violently enraged and is put out of the settlement by the guards. Sebastian then comes to Marta in the mill yard in the evening. She had been held there a prisoner by his orders. Marta repels her persecutor until Manelich, returning by a secret way, rushes in and challenges Sebastian to combat. They clinch, and the powerful shepherd strangles the master in true Spanish style. Thus does he win the exclusive right to his bride, and together they go to the mountains, where mere man and his innate badness will leave them undisturbed in their happiness.

A Pretty Dance.

A dance of the peasants in the mill yard at evening after the marriage of Marta and Manelich is a pretty kaleidoscope of color and graceful movement.

The scenic effects present harmonious color ensembles and lend touches of Spanish atmosphere.

Angel Guimera, the Author.

The play, in three acts, is translated from the Spanish of Angel Guimera, the Catalonian poet and writer. Wallace Gillpatrick and Guido Marburg prepared the version used by Manager Harrison Grey Fiske. Guimera began to write verses at an early age. He is the accepted representative of the Catalans and has won much honor in his own land. The Spanish government once awarded him prizes for his poems "Country," "Faith" and "Love." Guimera has written several plays. "Marta" has proved distinctly successful in Spain and has been reproduced in Servia, France, Italy, Cuba, Mexico and in various South American countries.

E. H. Sothern's New Play.

"The Proud Prince," which E. H. Sothern is now presenting at the Herald Square theater, is a play in which immorality aids in the pointing of a [illegible] tings and phases [illegible] phases of the [illegible] king and his [illegible] ment is seemingly [illegible] produced to balance the other, and [illegible] first one arm of the scale is lifted, then the other. The moral shakes itself free from all other attachments in the last act when the proud prince, King Robert of Sicily (Mr. Sothern), is restored to his right mind and body, from which he had been previously dispossessed, illustrating forcibly that the humble will be uplifted if they but wait long enough and make amends for their sins by much travail of soul and crushing of spirit.

The play is daring. It handles without gloves the pastimes of a licentious monarch and his court. Little is left to the imagination. The costumes are elaborate and thoroughly in keeping with the extravagance of the time.

Summed up, the acting is better than the play. Justin Huntly McCarthy, the author, has marred a strong plot by developing it weakly. Though milder than originally, the play is still unnecessarily broad. The art of Mr. Sothern and his associates redeems it. His transition from the king to the fool is admirably done. Miss Loftus is entirely adequate. L. Rogers Lytton's Hildebrand is pictured with good judgment and understanding. While the role might easily have been made one of a swashbuckling sort, boastful, compelling, Mr. Lytton illustrated the part of the true gentleman of the court, experienced, ambitious, reserved and yet not unmindful of the charms of the ladies. His stage presence is attractive, and the artistic finish of his work evidences careful, studied preparation. He is forming a style strong and advanced that should bring him more prominently before the public ere long.

"Babes In Toyland."

Are you looking for about three hours of splendid recreation? If so go to see "Babes In Toyland" at the Majestic theater. Here is a novelty scintillating with scenic splendor, abounding in pretty, graceful girls, catchy lines and pleasing songs. Unique in conception even during these days of jaded theatrical appetites and blase "Johnnies," the "babes" are well calculated to scare away the worries that now and again flit across turbulent brains.

The friends of boyhood and girlhood clothed in all the gorgeousness of up to date stage reality smile, dance, sing and talk to us across the footlights, taking one swiftly back to the spanking age, when all the world was but a great, glorious playground. Pre-eminently a spectacle, "Babes In Toyland" also has a plot. Yes, and, stranger still, the underlying story is adhered to throughout the play, and traces of it are actually visible in the last act. Will wonders never cease?

William Norris as Alan, a nephew of Barnaby, a rich and villainous miser (George W. Denham), is exceedingly good. Norris has also succeeded in tragic roles. Some of the best lines in the play fall to his lot, and he is not lacking in the ability to deliver them effectively.

Mabel Barrison as Jane, Barnaby's niece, is cute—in fact, lovable. Even the mere thought of her does much to brighten this dreary world.

Bessie Wynn is a sweet Tom Tom, eldest son of the Widow Piper. She sings sweetly and would be an ornament to any beauty show. Miss Wynn is winning and winsome. She has grace, charm and ability, and greater things are before her.

Roderigo, a sentimental villain, enacted by Frank Hayes; Gonzorgo (Charles Barry), his hard hearted partner, and Inspector Marmaduke (Gus Pixley) of the Toyland police are very funny indeed.

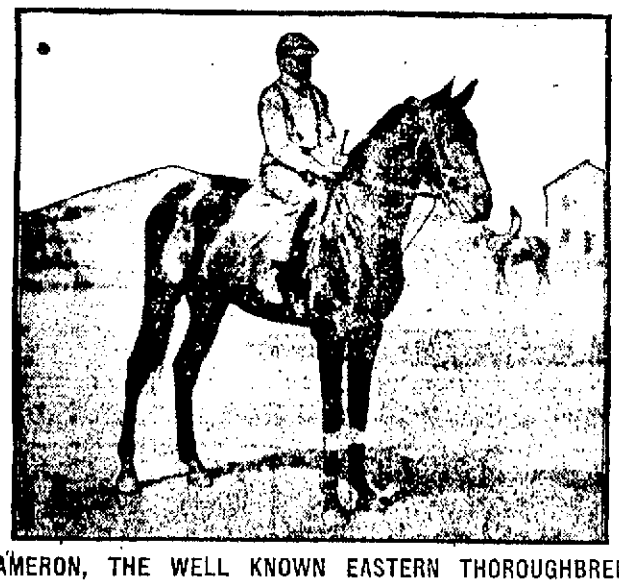
The particular features of the play are the spectacular effects. Lavish hands have prepared the settings. The scene in the spider's forest in act 1 is unique, and not least among the enjoyments is the parade of the wooden soldiers. NEWTON OTIS.

New York.

Should Virginia Earle's tour in "Sergeant Peggy" prove a success in this country she will take the piece to London in the spring.

TWO SCENES FROM "THE PROUD PRINCE." PHOTOS, BY BYRON, N.Y.

TWO SCENES FROM "MARTA OF THE LOWLANDS." PHOTOS, BY BYRON, N.Y.



CAMERON, THE WELL KNOWN EASTERN THOROUGHBRED.

Cameron, owned by the Mexican stable, is a four-year-old brown horse by Meddler—Annat Lyle. His trainer, H. M. Mason, considers him to have a starting burst of speed, and he will be campaigned actively throughout the entire season in the east next year. A recent accident incapacitated Cameron, but he is now thought to have entirely recovered.

Crescent City Jockey Club.
California Turf Affairs

WINTER HORSE RACING

A Football Comparison—
Western Versus Eastern Scores

THE Crescent City Jockey club has completed arrangements for the coming winter meeting at New Orleans and, like many other prominent turf organizations, has recognized the great strides made by racing in the last two or three years by increasing the value of the stakes and purses.

The New Orleans officials have gone deep into the treasury of the club and have inaugurated various improvements. They have bettered the track, enlarged the grand stand and in other ways have endeavored to contribute to the comfort of their patrons. These improvements have cost more than $25,000.

The New Orleans Opening.

The New Orleans stakes close Nov. 14. The meeting opens twelve days later with the Inaugural handicap, $1,250 added, three-quarters of a mile, all ages. Valuable races then follow in rapid succession, and the meeting, as usual, will continue into the new year and wind up during the middle of March with the Crescent City Derby, $2,500 added, one and one-eighth miles, for three-year-olds.

It is to be hoped that in addition to improving the conditions surrounding New Orleans racing the Crescent City Jockey club will also devote much needed attention to the actual running of events. Last winter several unsavory episodes brought the Crescent City races into undesirable notoriety. Horses persisted in running with no regard whatever for form. Jockeys rode just about as they pleased, and a thorough investigation was finally required. Occurrences like that do the racing game inestimable harm, and a little precaution beforehand would have saved the New Orleans officials a great deal of unpleasant work.

California Winter Racing.

Winter racing at the New California Jockey club begins Nov. 14. This organization has control of three plants, those at Oakland, Tanforan and Ingleside. California racing has met with reverses of late years, but now the outlook is promising. The Burns handicap is the most valuable event to be run under the auspices of the new club. This race is for two-year-olds and upward, one mile and a quarter, $10,000 added. Thomas H. Williams is president and Percy W. Treat is secretary. The stakes closed Oct. 26.

Baseball Echoes.

From all indications Boston baseball sharps will never, never, never cease to crow over the defeat of the Pittsburg Nationals by Jimmy Collins' husky aggregation of American leaguers. The collapse of the Pirate pitching staff was providential for the Boston Americans. While this fact undoubtedly contributed materially to the defeat of the Pirates, their playing in the field was far below standard, and there seems to be no reason to account for it. Think of Hans Wagner, the greatest all around player in the country and unquestionably the strongest shortstop in uniform today, making three errors in a single game! Well, that is just what he did. And Tommy Leach, the scintillating third baseman, was also "off his feed." Was it overconfidence, carelessness? Then, too, the Pittsburgs could not hit the ball. During the National season they batted out of the box men as clever as Billy Dineen, yet the Bostonians put the double cross on them so effectually that the tribe of Dreyfuss looked like a bunch of schoolboys. Even the redoubtable Hans Wagner, the muscular, handsome Beaumont, the hard hitting Bransfield, seemed to be in a trance, and when they woke up, lo, the Bean Eaters had them tied hand and foot!

But it is all over now. Postmortems can't bring a corpse to life. Fred Clarke and his warriors have another guess coming, and in the meantime the Boston lads are doing their best to get rid of the large bundles of prize money they received as their share of the spoils. Every player on the world's champion team received more than $1,000 as his share of the receipts from the Boston-Pittsburg series.

A Football Problem.

Why do western football teams persistently roll up larger scores against weaker rivals each year than do the eastern elevens? Here is a problem that long has been a topic of discussion. Every season the western records show a list of games in which teams like Michigan, Wisconsin, Chicago and Illinois, for instance, have made more touchdowns than there are runs in an ordinary baseball game. In the east rarely indeed does Yale, Harvard or Princeton pile up more than thirty-five or forty points even when pitted against elevens that are not superior to the teams which the westerners overwhelm. At the same time there is no reason to believe that the big western teams are stronger than the leading eastern aggregations. Only recently there occurred a striking illustration of the foregoing state of affairs when on the same day Michigan, Illinois and Minnesota scored, respectively, 79, 64 and 46 points against fairly capable elevens. Had the defeated teams played against eastern teams of prominence corresponding to that of the western victors it is certain that the scores would have been not more than half so high.

Probably the explanation lies in the fact that the western college elevens develop the offensive work of their men to a greater extent than do the easterners. In the east a college eleven is generally as strong on the defensive as on the attack. Therefore, while they may not be able to score a large number of touchdowns, they are prepared to prevent other teams from scoring at all.

The West Point-Annapolis Game.

Pigskin pushers everywhere are glad that the annual contest between West Point and Annapolis is not to be abandoned. At first the outlook was dubious owing to the differences existing between the authorities having the game in charge at both institutions. The playing on the West Point team last year of Charley Daly, formerly captain of the Harvard eleven, was one of the causes of dissension, and now that the soldiers have put into effect a rule concerning college men that will prevent Daly playing against Annapolis this year the middies are as peacefully inclined as a flock of lambs in a clover patch.

The game is scheduled for Nov. 23 and, as heretofore, will be played on Franklin field, Philadelphia, through the courtesy of the University of Pennsylvania.

The football differences between the two war studying organizations are now settled by a court of arbitration, consisting of a representative from Annapolis, one from West Point and a third agreed upon by the two first named. This arrangement, it is hoped, will prevent all chance of future breaches. BEN TAVIS.

CAPTAIN JAMES JOHNSON, CARLISLE INDIAN FOOTBALL TEAM.

PROFESSOR L. M. DENNIS OF CORNELL.

Professor Dennis is the well known football authority who represents Cornell university on the intercollegiate rules committee.

COACH YOST'S CRITICISM.

One of the severest critics of the new football rules is Coach Yost of Michigan. In his opinion the rule which requires seven men in the line between the twenty-five yard lines is a step backward. He says that Princeton is the only big university which has played seven men in the line for several years, and he points to the little success it has had. Yost would substitute a rule requiring six men in the line all the time and in all parts of the field.

Of another of the important changes made by the intercollegiate rules committee Yost says:

"Giving the first man that receives the ball permission to carry it beyond the line of scrimmage, provided he crosses the line five yards from where the center put the ball in play, will not add much to the game except disputes, as it will often be hard to determine just where the line of scrimmage was crossed by the runner. Under the old style of game on runs that crossed the line five yards from center with a good fast quarter back the play would be just as fast and effective; in fact, it would be more so, for there would be an extra man in the interference."

A THEATRICAL CARTOONIST.

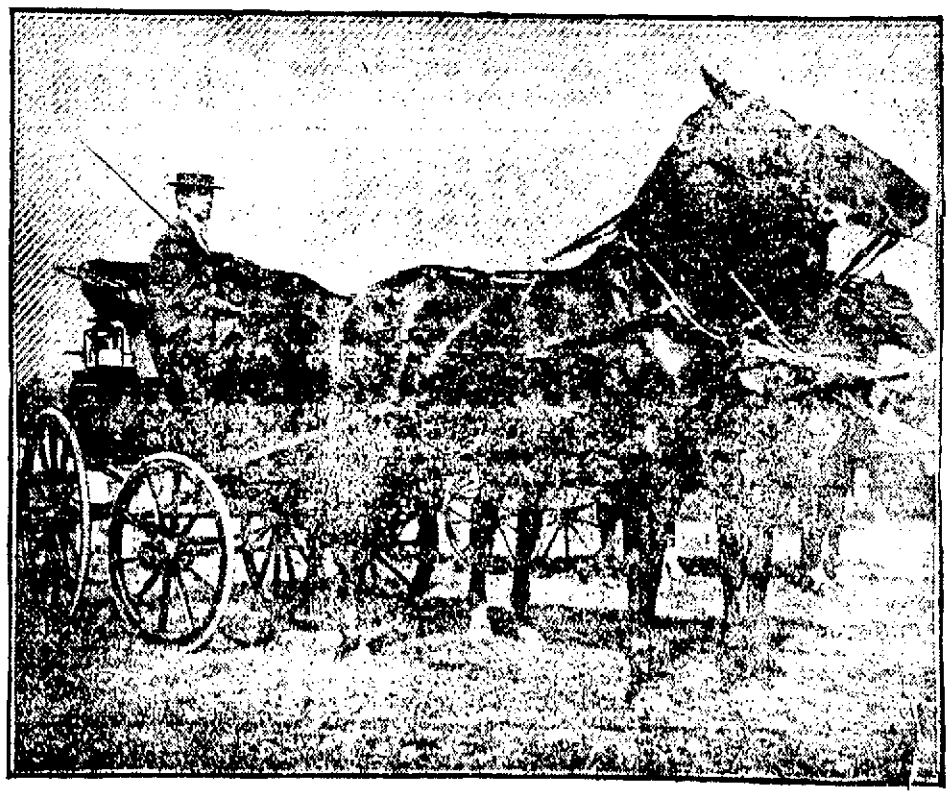
Frances Willard, a member of the chorus of the "Peggy From Paris" company, has joined the New York Art league and will continue her art studies during the season. Unlike most young women, Miss Willard does not go in for painting flowers all over the family china, but is developing her talent as a caricaturist. So far as known she is the only woman caricaturist in the country. Her cartoons of the people she sees in the theater are classed with the work of such cartoonists as Opper and "Zim."

A LITERARY ACTRESS.

Pearl Gibson, one of the New England schoolma'ams in "The Sultan of Sulu," is a frequent contributor of short stories and poems to the magazines. She spent her holidays last summer in Halifax, N. S., and has just completed a volume of short stories based upon material gathered there which will shortly be published in New York. It is called "A Haligonian Summer."

DRAMATIC REVIVALS.

Willard Spenser will make elaborate revivals of "The Little Tycoon" and "Princess Bonnie" next season. The company, presenting both operas alternately, it is said will be under his personal direction.



ALBERT C. BOSTWICK, THE NOTED AUTO RACER, DRIVING A TEAM OF SHOW HORSES.

POLITICAL FIELD

Prospects for Democratic Candidates Brighten

M. J. MAHONEY.

A Comparison of the Candidates in the 26th District—Democrats Should Vote for all County Officers

A largely attended meeting of the newly organized democratic club of wards one and six was held at the club rooms on Lakeview avenue, Wednesday night, when the democratic candidates were present as the guests of the club.

The following officers were elected: President Henry Hame; vice-president, Michael Casey; secretary and treasurer, James Duffy. The speakers of the evening were Rep. M. J. Mahoney, Councilman Pinder, Robert E. Conroy and George E. Ward. The attendance was enthusiastic throughout and the club gives promise of becoming quite prominent. Phonograph exhibitions followed the speech-making. The next meeting will be held on Sunday afternoon when a rallying committee will be formed and plans made to get out the vote.

Only a few days more remain in which the candidates can get in their canvassing though most of them are about finished with this work. The next matter to attend to is that of getting out the vote on election day. The best and only way for the mill people to be sure of voting is to go to the polls before they go into work in the morning. A hundred and one unforeseen circumstances may arise during the day that will prevent them voting and the only safe way is to vote early. Democrats, vote before you go to your work in the morning, and under no circumstances fail to vote. If you are so located that you cannot get to the polls conveniently notify the democratic city committee and a carriage will be sent wherever you may want it.

George R. Duren of Carlisle, democratic candidate for county commissioner, was in town yesterday after having made an extensive tour of the county. In conversation with The Sun reporter he said: "I have covered as much of the county as I could in the short time allotted to me, but I feel highly elated over the warm reception tendered me by republicans and democrats alike wherever I went. There is a fast growing sentiment all over the county that the county ring has had its day and that it is time to get in new blood. Republicans realize that they cannot break up the ring unless they combine with the democrats and for that reason as an evidence of good faith many of them will vote for me. I may not be the man who will succeed in breaking up the ring, but I will pave the way for some other man and will work as hard for another candidate in another year as I am now working for myself. All I want is for every democrat in the county to vote for me whether he believes I can win or not. Then we can see how far we are being supported by the other side and will know how to proceed next year." Every democrat should vote for Mr. Duren. He is a dyed-in-the-wool democrat and has held up the party honor for years in his own town against great majority.

In the sixth senatorial district in which Mr. Farley is the democratic candidate, there is little hope for a democrat, the district being overwhelmingly republican, but in the seventh district there is a chance and Michael J. Mahoney, the democratic candidate, is one of the ablest and strongest candidates ever nominated by either party. Mr. Mahoney has a host of friends in his district and they are not confined to one party. He has also a fine record in the legislature where he has served for two years. He is an able debater, well read and well informed, thoroughly honest and progressive, and will be a credit to his district if elected. He can be elected if the democrats of the district will give him the support he deserves from them. Mr. Mahoney was one of the foremost advocates of the Butler statue movement. He was on the right side on all labor measures that came up in the legislature. The working people of this city can never hope for just labor laws until they elect men who will introduce and stand by such measures. Mr. Mahoney has time and again shown himself to be the friend of the laboring people and will do so again if elected.

With the memory of the great strike still fresh in their minds the mill people of this city should not need any instructions as to who to vote for in the coming elections, on the representative ticket. In the 26th district in which most of the cotton mill workers live, the democrats have nominated three candidates who should appeal to the working people above any others that could be nominated. In the first place there is Robert Conroy, leader of the quietest and best conducted strike ever known in New England, which, while unsuccessful, won for the mill workers the respect and sympathy of all New England. For seven years past Mr. Conroy has devoted all his leisure time to building up of the textile unions of Lowell working for them continuously for seven years without pay. He knows the needs of the mill operative in regard to legislation perfectly and will be a tower of strength to organized labor in the legislature. He has been a labor leader who has worked every day and Agent Southworth said of him that he was one of the best beamers in the business. The mill people of the district if they will consult their own interests will vote for Mr. Conroy to a man. Another candidate familiar with the needs of the working people of this district is George E. Ward, a prominent member of the Typographical union, formerly a member of the Trades and Labor Council, and one of the men to whose efforts nearly all the printers in Lowell are now drawing union wages. Mr. Ward is a forcible speaker and has often been heard in debate. Then thirdly there is John J. Pinder, the leader of the democratic minority in the common council this year. Mr. Pinder has worked hard for the poor people of his ward during his incumbency and advocated all measures that would give citizens of Lowell work. He is a good talker, well informed and is not afraid to get up and say what he thinks.

Such are the three men nominated by the democrats. How do they compare with their republican opponents?

Cecil Adams, president of the common council and foremost of the republican candidates, is the son of a mill man and the candidate and tool of the corporations. He is registered from a hotel in ward one but lives in Huntington street in ward nine, and hence really does not belong in the district. There was no chance for him to get a nomination in the 27th district, so he has his name put on from the ward one hotel and represents himself a resident of the 26th district which he is not. When the measure to have all city printing done by union labor and bear union label came up Mr. Adams vigorously opposed the measure and signed a petition against it. During his term as president of the common council he has distinguished himself by running away whenever things were not going to suit him, running out of the president's chair and declaring an adjournment or a recess. An instance of this happened only the other night. It seems that there is a petition before the city council signed by 75 voters of Hampshire street to have that street improved. At the last meeting of the common council there were votes enough to carry the order for those improvements which had been recommended by the street committee and passed by the board of aldermen. All they needed was the endorsement of the lower branch. A majority of the lower branch was in favor of the order but President Adams was not and in order to block the majority he ran in when the members were out in the corridor, called to order and declared the meeting adjourned for lack of a quorum though there was more than a quorum within call. And the residents of Hampshire street, all of whom reside in the 26th district, will have to wait for their street improvements until Cecil gets ready to give them to them. It is probable that the residents of Hampshire street will rejoice at the opportunity to vote for Cecil on election day.

Rep. Brown, the second of the candidates of the republicans in the 26th district has a record of once making a motion to adjourn during the several years that he was in the city council. As he has only been one year in the legislature he has not yet had time to do anything except answer roll calls. Bills of local interest might come up in the legislature every day in the week and Rep. Brown would not know them as he has never been in touch with the mass of the people.

The third candidate is Harry Timmons whose claim to fame is the fact that he is a brother of "My Man Timmons," the ubiquitous Fred who used to be a much sought after man when the late Col. Jim Bennett was in his prime. Fred is sponsor for Harry. Harry is best known by his resemblance to Fred. If you see a young man who closely resembles Fred, it's Harry.

To aid the republicans in the 26th district and perhaps for another reason best known to the Textile council and a certain republican paper that paper is booming John McDonald, ex-secretary of the Textile council who is a socialist candidate for representative in the 26th district, hoping to split up the vote of the democratic mill operatives in the district and thus defeat the three democrats on the ticket. Mr. McDonald in running for office in this city displays a nerve that is well nigh supreme. Mr. McDonald is no longer a resident of Lowell and has not been for some time, having moved with his family to Waltham where he is now employed. And yet though a resident of Waltham Mr. McDonald has the presumption to run for office as a candidate from the 26th district which takes in four wards of a city some 20 miles removed from Waltham. Mr. McDonald hasn't a ghost of a chance to win and a vote for him only means a vote against Mr. Conroy and the other democrats on the ticket.

Capt. "Joe" Thompson, who has held the position of registrar of deeds since he returned from the war, scents a scheme on the part of the democrats to turn him out of office and through paid advertising in a republican paper calls on all veterans to hold him in office. Capt. "Joe" is about due for a silver or a golden anniversary of his first election to the place and it would be cruel to dislodge him before he has been in office at least 25 years.

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AN INSANE CRANK

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By Associated Press to The Sun

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31—Edward Tanner, 33 years old, a native of Switzerland and a crank, tried to see the president yesterday, but he did not get far beyond the doors of the executive offices before his condition was discovered.

He was taken to police headquarters and later to St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum.

GREEK CHARGE

Against the Evening School System

AND METHOD OF INSTRUCTING THE GREEKS

English Teachers Not Understood by Greeks

The following letter brings to public attention a grievance of the Greeks who are obliged to attend evening school and who as yet understand no English:

Demosthenes Generalis, M. D.
Associate Building,
Lowell, Mass. Oct. 29, 1903.

To the Editor of the Sun.

Dear Sir:—I hope you will be kind enough to allow me a little space in your valuable paper for the following open letter concerning the Greek pupils.

Truly yours,
Demosthenes Generalis, M. D.

To the committee of the evening schools of Lowell.

Dear Sirs:—

It is the duty of every man to strive for the benefit and interest of others without any exception of race, much more is it the duty of a person who is connected with them by kinship or patriotism.

This is the reason which urges me to send the letter to your committee of the Lowell evening schools, although I have not the the honor of being known of you.

The evening instruction, as it is practiced in the evening school (Manu) among the Greek young boys, is not practical or efficient, it is simply a deplorable farce. The result of the instruction in the preceding years is proof of what I state; it is evident that the Greek pupils who have attended the said evening school in preceding years do not know anything about the English language, excepting those who had a great desire to learn and could afford to take private lessons from Greek teachers in the intervals between school lessons.

Now here is the fact: In the present year there are about 600 Greek boys attending evening classes at the Manu school, with 41 teachers, as published in the newspapers; three out of this number are Greeks, Mr. Intros, who, so to speak, supervises and does not teach; Professor Mantafounes, who teaches, and Mr. Tisgurnker, who has lately been appointed. The 600 Greek boys have practically only one teacher.

Now those forty English teachers teach six hundred young boys every evening, who do not understand English, and their teachers do not understand Greek.

Under these circumstances, how is it possible that such instruction can be of benefit to those Greek pupils? How can the pupils understand the explanation of their English teachers, when they are entirely ignorant of English? Do you think by gestures the teachers make, the pupils can catch the meaning in their own language? The response is obvious.

It is a truism that is an inexplicable fact, how and upon what prop you have leant, to appoint English teachers to teach pupils ignorant of English, when you can find her a number of fine Greek teachers for the evening school for those Greek boys. It is an inconceivable wrong, and we cannot understand the reason why. In Lowell, English teachers are preferable in such evening schools, when in the other cities, as for instance in New York, Haverhill, New Bedford, etc., they are rejected, when there are teachers of the same nationality as the pupil, to be taught.

I repeat, we cannot find a possible word, why, when you have in this city very fine Greek teachers knowing, permit me to say, English literally, as Messrs. George Husaleures, Peter Maurageorges, Constantine Moustakis, Michel Demaras, Apostolos Johnson, Peter Antonopoulos, Alexander Smyencos, George Vozeolus, Jamer Athanashoules, John Marcopoulos, Peter Chagerouly, George Gouzoules, John Prempas, Constant Antonopulos and Miss M. Terjakis, all honest and well bred young people, and many others whom I do not remember, you have appointed English teachers; possibly because you did not know that there were such teachers, up to today, or you have been informed by others that there are no such Greek teachers knowing English, who, with gladness and willingness would accept such a position and heartily and efficiently instruct their fellow countrymen, who, after being prisoners in the mills the whole day, are constrained to go to the evening schools to be prisoned again for two hours, without any intellectual benefit.

Do you not think, if such is the case, that it is better to leave those unfortunate beings to enjoy themselves during those two hours freedom by playing in streets and breathing the fresh air, of which their health is in great need, than to have them stooping upon the benches, trying to understand the unknown words of their teachers and predisposing them to severe diseases? Do you think there is any joy or any pleasure to the pupil when he does not understand his teacher, for he, at that moment is sick, and longs for the time to leave the bench, with disgust?

It is time, dear sirs, to correct this very severe fault, and to save the money which you spend each week, in vain, for those Greek boys.

By substituting one part of those English teachers, or all, if possible, by Greek ones, or having an assistant teacher to each class, who will explain the words of the English teacher, or if the budget for the evening schools does not permit it, you can compel each Greek pupil to pay ten or more cents per week for their instruction, which they gladly will pay, for I know the same boys sometimes pay fifty cents to a dollar a week to some Greek teacher for private English lessons; otherwise it will render them more assiduous to their lessons, and the instruction will be fruitful to the boys.

You can take my letter, written under the influence of philanthropy in behalf of the Greek boys, who are thirsting for the knowledge of the English language, and ardently desire to master it, so as to freely express their thoughts and to be relieved, as soon as possible, from being the manikins of the interpreters of their affairs and mockery of one of the present Greek teachers, who, so indiscreetly said, last year, that "He must leave Lowell when the Greeks learned to understand English." Unwittingly, you have appointed "the wolf to keep the sheep."

Respectfully yours,
DEMOSTHENES GENERALIS, M. D.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for 12 years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, druggist. Only 50c.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 30, 1903.

LOWELL.

Margaret Judge, admx., to John J. Preston, Thomas Judge estate on Blossom street, $1200.

C. D. Kimball et al. to Peter Curran, land on School street, $1.

Harriet F. Barnes to Angie E. Gray et al., land with buildings on Lavoy street, $1.

John F. McGovern to William E. Newton, land with buildings on Pearl street, $1.

Betsey W. A. Sweetser to Patrick F. Greening et al., land with buildings on Lincoln street, $1.

Jacques Boisvert to John Kilroy, land with buildings on Hildreth street, $1.

A. Wilbert Starrett to Lewis R. Stevens, land at Sorono park $1.

Elizabeth Richardson to Wellman W. Hatch, land with buildings on West Fourth street, $1.

Simon Lagasse to Albert St. Onge, land with buildings on Conduit avenue, $1.

Arthur Genest to Pierre N. Bernard, land on Riverside street, $1.

Simon Lagasse to Marie Simard, land on Aiken street, $1.

Fred W. Jenness to William McDonald, land on Coburn avenue, $1.

Alfred Bergenbin to A. L. Russell, land with buildings on Inland street, $1.

Hiram C. Gordon to Martind A. Gage, land on Wentworth avenue, $1.

Katharine F. G. O'Donnell to Tedilio Grossguth, land with buildings on Pleasant street, $1.

City Institution for Savings to F. J. Mellen, land with buildings on Bassett street, $1.

Ernest Genest to Clovis Gueclette, land near Avon street, $1.

Henry J. O'Dowd to John J. Fahey, Jr., land on Crowley street, $300.

Jacques Boisvert to Patrick Henry and Ella Daley, land with buildings on Hildreth street, $1.

TYNGSBOROUGH.

Clara E. Mitchell et al. to Peter Ekstrom, land with buildings, $1.

BILLERICA.

Emma E. Varnum to Edward W. Bruce, several lots of land at Pinehurst annex, $1.

WESTFORD.

Fred O. Stiles to A. F. Blanchard, land on Beaver Brook, $1.

LOWELL.

Lewis R. Stevens to Henry F. Sawtell, land at Sorono park, $1.

Simon Lagasse to Celia Desmaris, land on Lakeview avenue, $1.

Joseph Loiselle to Liliorie Perreault, land with buildings at Navy Yard road.

DRACUT.

L. R. J. and D. H. Varnum to Frank Esmond, land at Mt. Pleasant, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Harry C. Wright to Clara A. Sutman, land with buildings on Washington street, $1.

WILMINGTON.

Jacob W. Wilbur to Charles S. Smith, land at Silver Lake park, $1.

George A. Sedenkier to Clara W. Osborne, land with buildings on High street, $1.

George W. Clatur to Ernest L. Davis, land with buildings at Silver lake, $1.

Brought to Light

Lowell People Receiving the Full Benefit

There have been many cases like the following in Lowell. Everyone reades the experience of people we know. These plain straight-forward statements will do much toward relieving the suffering of thousands. Such testimony will be read with interest by many people.

Mr. John Gallagher of 21 East Merrimack street, says: "Three years ago I had severe pain in my back which I attributed to rheumatism. Reading about kidney troubles led me to wonder if the kidneys were not the cause of it. Having heard of the value of Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney ailments I bought a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s drug store, corner Merrimack and Central streets. The wonderful relief ensuing from their use proved the trouble proceeded from the kidneys and at the same time proved the great value of Doan's Kidney Pills. I have since then always kept them in the house and from catching cold or other cause when I felt the least indication of backache a few doses of this remedy soon ended it."

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CUT IT OUT

Quit White Bread and Coffee and Got Well.

A tale that sounds like magic, yet is but a simple evidence of what proper food can do in the place of improper food:

A lady of Quincy, Ill., says: "It seems impossible that I could have gone through what I did and be alive and well today. I was most of my life troubled with a weak stomach and severe headaches and as I grew older I slowly got worse. One physician treated me five years for dyspepsia without any help and I went to another physician who said I had a tumor and I believed him. I was unable to bear even the loosest clothing and could scarcely lift my head, finally becoming entirely bed-ridden.

"Then I changed to another doctor who said I had chronic catarrh of the stomach and advised a change of climate telling me I would get well if I would winter in California. He might as well have advised a trip to the moon in my case. Then I tried a change of diet. It seemed I could not live on crackers and tea nor could I find anything else to agree with me and it began to look as though I was doomed to die. So I made up my mind to eat everything that I craved and determined to die happy at least in the thought of not starving to death.

"Now that I look back at it I don't see how it is possible for a human being to live through such misery as I did. Of course my stomach trouble grew worse and my head grew worse. I had all my hair cut off but it did not help me and when one of my headaches was on I was really and truly crazy and did not even recognize my husband. The doctor would give me morphine tablets to stop my crying.

"Then a friend who knew what she was talking about advised me to give up white bread and tea and coffee and try the predigested food, Grape-Nuts, and Postum Coffee in place. I did so and I have had grand results. The improvement began immediately. I had fallen from 125 pounds to 83 pounds in my sickness and with my hair cut off and gray too, I was a fright.

"In a few days after I started Grape-Nuts I could eat a little beef and crackers without the least discomfort, my face began to fill out and the awful distress in my stomach soon ceased. Then my headaches began to grow less frequent and the sick dizzy spells have gone from me altogether and I have reached and passed my former weight and am now comparatively well and strong. I am certainly happy and I never touch coffee now for I am certain that coffee and the white bread and biscuits caused all my trouble. As soon as my body got the proper food it did not take it long to put me right both in body and mind. All the credit is due to Grape-Nuts and Postum in place of white bread and coffee."

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Free Reading and Amusement Room for men and boys, Nesmith Building, Entrance in John street. Open nights at 7 o'clock. All invited.

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DISASTROUS FIRE

Broke Out in Philadelphia Business District

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31—One person dead and possibly two, a dozen persons injured, and a property loss of more than $200,000 is the result of a fire which occurred at noon yesterday in the block bounded by the Schuylkill river, Race, Vine and 23d streets.

The dead: Charles Messmer, aged 16 years.

Missing: M. C. Williams, a roofer.

The buildings destroyed were the flour mill of W. S. Woodward & Sons, and the Baltimore and Ohio grain elevator which adjoined the Woodward structure. The wagon works of H. Kaiser & Co. was damaged by a wall falling upon the roof. The fire began in a frame building between the flour mill and the grain elevator and it quickly spread to these buildings. Eight men were working on the roof of the grain elevator when the fire began and seven of them are known to have made their escape. The eighth, M. C. Williams, cannot be found and it is believed his body is in the ruins.

For a time it looked as though the flames would reach the wagon works and the employes of that place were put to work removing vehicles and other stock. While this was going on the grain elevator wall fell on the roof of the wagon works and buried nearly a dozen men under the debris. Firemen promptly went to the rescue and worked until last night when the body of Messmer, an apprentice, was found, and it was thought they had succeeded in getting all the employes of the works out of the place. August Grimow, a blacksmith, and John D. Lyons, a painter, were painfully but not seriously hurt and ten firemen were also injured during the progress of the fire.

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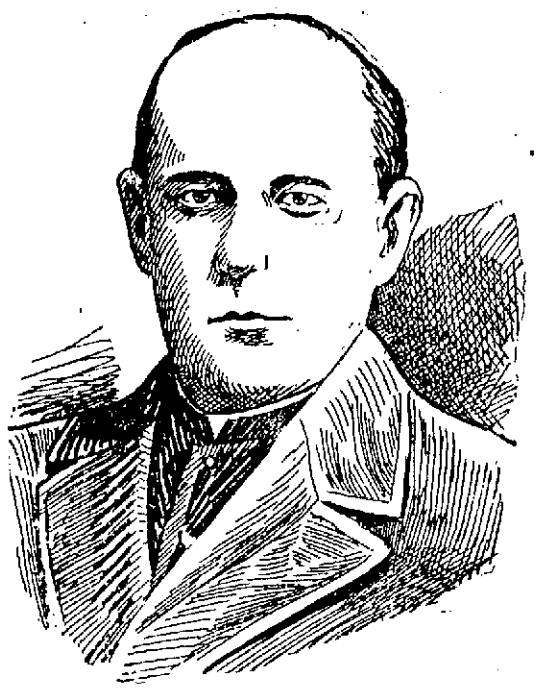

BISHOP SPALDING, L. L. D.

Elected President of the Teachers' Association

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Tremont Temple could scarcely accommodate the gathering of men and women teachers from all grades of the public schools in Middlesex county who were in attendance at the 51st annual convention held yesterday. There were morning and afternoon sessions.

The morning session was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Dr. Thomas Sims, pastor of the Central Congregational church in Melrose, after which Pres. Fred E. Nickerson, superintendent of the Melrose schools, introduced as the first speaker Dr. Luther H. Gulick, director of physical training in the public schools of New York city, who spoke on "Some Differences in the Development of Boys and Girls."

"The Ethics of the Teaching Profession," was the subject of an address by William H. Maxwell, superintendent of public schools, New York city. The three greatest virtues for a teacher, he said, were culture, independence and gentleness, and the greatest of these is gentleness. The teacher must be helpful to the children and it is only through gentleness that helpfulness may be exercised.

The closing address was by Miss Florence Holbrook, principal of the Forestville school, Chicago, on "Literature in the Eelementary Schools." Miss Holbrook was of the opinion that every normal child has within him the power to enjoy the beauties of literature, and it is for the teacher to awaken this love for what is best. We are all dependent on environment for growth. Feeling antedates thought, and the power to understand precedes the power to express.

A. L. BACHELLER PRESIDENT.

The afternoon session opened with a delightful musical program given by a finely-drilled chorus of 200 boys and girls from the Somerville English high school under the direction of S. Henry Hadley, director of music in the schools of Somerville and Watertown.

Then came a brief business session. The report of the treasurer stated that at the beginning of last year there was a balance on hand of $93.56. The receipts from various sources amounted to $492.86, and the expenditures $273.18, leaving a balance of $313.68.

Supt. Whitcomb of Lowell presented resolutions on the death of Frank A. Hill, secretary of the state board of education in Massachusetts. The resolutions referred to his worth as a teacher, as a man of culture and kindly heart, expressed regret at his loss and sympathy for his family and friends.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Albert L. Bacheller, Lowell; secretary and treasurer, J. Lewis Wightman, Malden; vice presidents, Charles E. Howe, Wakefield; R. J. Pitman, Marlboro; James W. Applebee, Newton; Bradford W. Drake, Waltham; R. W. Corlew, Wayland; executive committee, Robert C. Metcalf, Winchester; John S. Emerson, Somerville; B. C. Gregory, Chelsea; Melissa E. Elder, Everett; W. C. Whiting, Melrose. The following were elected delegates to the Massachusetts Teachers' convention: Fred W. Nickerson, Albert L. Bacheller and J. Lewis Wightman.

Mr. Nickerson, who presided, then introduced as the speaker of the afternoon Rt. Rev. John Lancaster Spalding, bishop of Peoria, Ill., referring to the great honor and pleasure it gave him to present one who had done so much in the cause of education, a man universally loved because of his great service to the people of his state and whose fame as an orator and author was too well known to be rehearsed.

BISHOP SPALDING'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Spalding read his address from manuscript. He said it was in compliment to and respect for his cultured audience that he followed the example of polite society in the French academy and prepared what he had to say rather than trust to the inspiration of the occasion. He received a very cordial greeting.

The speaker began by defining education as the furthering of life—to purify the original sources of man's powers; for the perfection of the esthetic, religious and moral as well as the intellectual and physical. The end and aim of education is to inculcate high ideals of truth and justice and this is the ground of all our hope. School is but an incident. Heredity, environment and work has much to do with the development of our standards and character. We never cease to be molded.

The child must not only be taught what it does not know, but how to behave when he does not behave. The teacher is not a mechanic, but an artist, for his aim is to build men, not to make encyclopedias. The teacher who makes ideals real gets at the heart of the scholar, exalts his mind and purifies his heart. One is self-educated through life. Good, like evil, is commonplace. Take children away from school and place them in an environment devoid of ideals and you invite them to corrupt one another.

The speaker not only touched upon the aim of education, but those agencies which make for character and influence life. There is the home influence which is so largely due to the mother's devotion and love; the education through the teacher at school; the influence of society and the state in which one lives. The free state is the people's university.

Religion is the most quickening influence, that which is embodied in the Christian church. It holds out the hope of immortality and makes men understand the sacredness of human life. It keeps alive feelings of justice, faith, love and holiness, and teaches that they alone are free who free themselves from within. It is the school for respect and loving obedience. Without morality there can be no religion, and without religion there can be no morality for the great mass of mankind. Without schools no church or state can live.

At the close of the address Bishop Spalding held an informal reception on the platform and a very large number took this opportunity of meeting the distinguished prelate. The teachers were presented by Mr. Nickerson.

CRUISER BALTIMORE

STARTED FOR SAN DOMINGO LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT NEWS, Oct. 31.—The cruiser Baltimore sailed last night for Puerto Plata, San Domingo, where she goes to protect American interests.

THE TERRA NOVA

TO SEARCH FOR THE DISCOVERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOBART, Tasmania, Oct. 31.—The Terra Nova, an auxiliary relief ship formerly a New Foundland whaler, has arrived here after a splendid passage. The Morning, the Royal Geographical society's relief ship, is expected daily. Both vessels will start for the relief of the Discovery, the British exploring vessel, the first week in December.

SUNDAY SERMONS

TO BE PREACHED AT DIFFERENT CHURCHES TOMORROW.

ADVENT.

Grand Street, Rev. C. R. Crossett. Morning—"A Radical and Dangerous Change in the Faith of the Church." Evening, "I Must Become Better Before I become a Christian."

UNIVERSALIST.

First, Rev. C. E. Fisher. Morning—"The Light That Never Failed."

Grace, Rev. R. E. Greene. Morning—"Before He Suffered." Communion at noon. Union service with First Universalist church in evening.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. James M. Craig. Morning—"John the Baptist." Evening. Anniversary service of the Woman's Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. Scott F. Hershey of Boston.

METHODIST.

St. Paul's, Rev. George B. Dean. Morning Communion and reception of members. Evening "Moral Insanity."

Worthen Street, Rev. James F. Allen. Morning—"The Present Profit of Christian Service." Evening, "Voices That Reach the Heart."

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews. Morning—"The Right Standard." Evening, "Three Advisors."

Berean, Rev. W. H. Yarrow. Morning—"Does Religion Pay?" Evening, "The Tabernacle in the Wilderness."

BAPTIST.

First, Rev. Smith T. Ford, D. D. Morning—"That Men Might Not Perish." Communion. Evening, "Is the Christian Religion Trustworthy? If so, Why Are People Humbugged?" There will be a prelude on "Dancing parties under the auspices of the High School." Baptism.

Immanuel, Rev. Robert T. True. Morning—"Christ's Coming Reception and Rejection." Evening, "Serving Sin, the Result and Cure."

Worthen Street, Rev. A. P. Wedge. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening.

North Tewksbury, Rev. C. L. Pierce. Morning—"Lessons from Life of Samuel." Mrs. Safford, who recently made a tour of the world in the interest of missions, will deliver an address in the evening.

FREE BAPTIST.

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. Morning—"Following the Christ." Evening, communion service and Lord's Supper.

Mt. Vernon, Rev. Stephen D. Millin. Morning—"The Divinity that Shapes Our Ends." Communion at 12. Evening, "A Chained Blessing."

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kenngott. Morning—"What Is Spirituality." Lord's Supper. Evening, "A Modern Hercules."

Eliot, Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Morning—Communion. Reception of members. "What Doth the Lord Require of Thee?" Evening, "Dowieism vs. the Gospel."

Highland, Rev. T. Clayton Welles. Morning—Communion. "The Living Leader." 4 p. m., Harvest concert. No evening service.

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. A. McKnight. Miss Mabel Francis, evangelist, at both morning and evening services.

Pawtucket, Rev. E. R. Smith. Rev. J. M. Greene will preach. Morning—"Not This Man But Barnabus." Evening, "Our Help in Trouble."

UNITARIAN.

First, Rev. Chas. T. Billings. Morning, "All Saints." Evening, Rev. Geo. Hamilton of Everett, Mass., will preach.

Free, Rev. George C. Wright. Morning, "Courageous Under Difficulties"

EPISCOPAL.

St. Anne's, Rev. A. St. John Ch[illegible]bre, D. D. Holy communion and [illegible]mon 10.30; evening prayer and se[illegible] 7; Sunday school 12.

House of Prayer, Rev. R. G. Osb[illegible] Low mass at 7.30; high mass at [illegible] vespers at 7.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Christadelphian Ecclesia, Odd [illegible]lows' Temple, Middlesex street. [illegible]ture at 10.30 a. m.; subject, "Is T[illegible] Any Future Life Apart from Chr[illegible]

First Church of Christ, Scie[illegible] Middlesex Hall, Palmer street. M[illegible]ing service at 10.45; subject, "[illegible] and Fallen Man."

Wesley Church, Runels buil[illegible] Merrimack square. Rev. William [illegible] of Boston will supply the pulpit.

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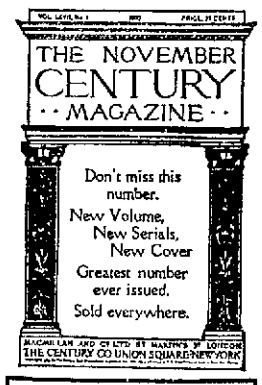

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Jack London's Sea Novel

Mr. Jack London, whose story "The Call of the Wild" is one of the most deserved popular successes of the year, will publish his new novel in *The Century* Magazine. It is a story of the sea, original in character and profound in motive. It has all the primitive strength of "The Call of the Wild," but, as a narrative, is even more thrilling. It will begin in January.

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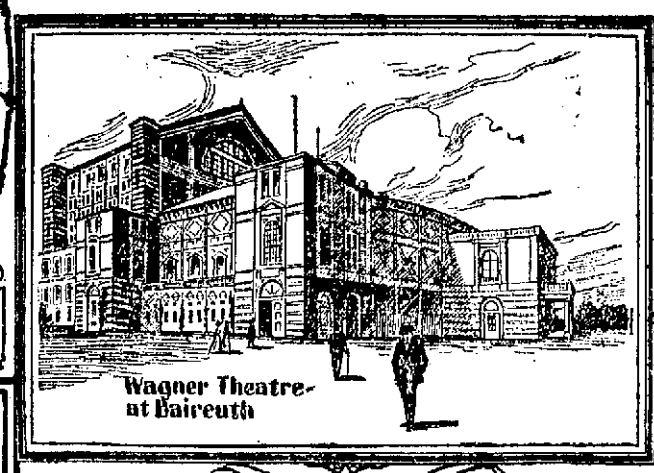
he Wagner-Conried Quarrel Over "Parsifal"

L vigorous attempt on the part of Frau Cosima Wagner, widow of the great composer, Richard Wagner, to prevent the production in the United of her husband's swan song, his iece, "Parsifal," has, as might en expected, had the result of g the eyes of the musical world hundreds of thousands who are usical to the little town of Bat- in Bavaria, the cradle of the ngen Ring and the other famous euvres of the lamented master. ever may be the opinion concern- propriety of transferring "Par- rom its old world setting to the less reverent audiences of the rld, the fact remains that Herr left this great religious opera eritage to the town in which he ade his home for so many of the years of his life and by his will d that it should never be pro- outside of Baireuth. Small won- erefore that Frau Wagner, re- ring her husband's wishes, has tooth and nail to prevent the nmation of Herr Heinrich Con- s desires, angered at the thought in the bejeweled society audiences the Metropolitan Opera House in York the religious atmosphere has prevailed in old Baireuth be forever lost. On the other d, one can readily sympathize with claration of the manager of the olitan Opera company that ow- the superior facilities for produc- d the higher grade of singers ed with him the wonderful piece will gain rather than its introduction to the new

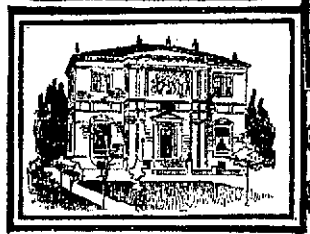
who have had the opportunity ing the performances of "Par- the periodical music festivals uth bear witness that without is the most impressive opera e ever heard. The very theme ive of reverence, and the man- s production is such as to em- the religious element in its ion. In brief the story of " is as follows: A body of of whom Amfortas is king, oted themselves to the guard- Spanish forest of the Holy chalice from which Christ the last supper and in which d was received on Calvary. has been wounded by Kling- agician, who, angered at hav- refused admission into the this noble brotherhood, by ated a great palace and peo- ith beautiful women, whose was to seduce Amfortas and is. Amfortas himself was to ed by one Kundry, who was rily successful, and it was at that Klingsor wounded the robbed him of the sacred spear it was said, had pierced Christ's hile he was on the cross. The refuses to heal, and a voice from the Holy Grail has told Amfortas that it will not heal until the spear has been rescued from the magician by a "guile-

Frau Cosima Wagner



Wagner Theatre at Baireuth

Richard Wagner



The Wagner Villa

Scene from Parsifal

The Wagner Library

Siegfried Wagner

less fool" who will come to cure the king.

The opera opens with Amfortas being carried in a litter to a lake to have his wound bathed. As he passes through a glade a wild swan, the bird sacred to the grail, falls dying before his litter, shot by Parsifal, the posthumous son of Gamuret and Herzeleid, a lad reared in solitude from his earliest youth and now totally unacquainted with the ways of the world. The knights seize Parsifal and bring him before Amfortas, who is informed by Gurnemanz, an aged hermit, that this may be the "guileless fool" prophesied by the voice. Gurnemanz takes Parsifal to the castle temple to witness the unveiling of the Holy Grail. So wonderful and impressive is the scene that the youth is awestruck into a silence which Gurnemanz mistakes for indifference. In anger he drives him out. In his subsequent wanderings Parsifal enters Klingsor's realm, where Kundry and a bevy of beautiful damsels try to tempt him to stay. Remembering the king's misery and the Holy Grail, Parsifal resists their allurements, and in anger Klingsor hurls at him the sacred spear, which, however, remains poised in the air. Parsifal seizes it, and castle, magician and maidens vanish. Eventually Amfortas is cured, and Kundry, the Mary Magdalen of the opera, is redeemed.

As will be seen, there is ample opportunity here for magnificent staging, and those who have witnessed the opera in Baireuth say that they have never seen such picturesque effects as those produced under the direction of Frau Wagner and her son, Siegfried, both of whom exercise an absolute dictatorship in the famous theater, which will accommodate about 1,400 people and stands on a little hill about a mile to the north of the town itself. It is a large red building, not very impressive architecturally, but towering above the trees that surround it. Either while the music festival, which lasts from a month to six weeks, is in progress a great pilgrimage takes place. Unlike the custom in other theaters, the opera begins at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and those not in their seats when the curtain rises are given no opportunity of witnessing the first act. Upon the conclusion of this act there is a short intermission, and at the end of the second act an hour is given for dinner, which may be obtained at the two restaurants in the theater grounds. Many, fearing the crush at the restaurants, take sandwiches and cakes with them, and are at liberty to stroll at will through the beautiful groves about the opera house. The last act usually begins at a quarter past 8, and the spectators may be in their homes by 10 o'clock, though the great majority prefer to linger for supper after the opera.

The Germans, be it noted, take opera seriously and not, as do the generality of peoples, merely as a form of entertainment. Perhaps it is this more than anything else that contributes to the veneration with which the Wagnerian productions are received. When the first note sounds from the hidden orchestra a deep silence falls upon all present. From the beginning to the end of such pieces as "Parsifal" there is no applause, but the singers can feel the intense sympathy of their auditors and know that their efforts are appreciated. It is said that many of those present sit as if spellbound after the fall of the curtain and appear loath to leave the scene of their intellectual and spiritual treat. And this, it is added, applies to "Parsifal" rather than to any other of the magnificent works of him whom the people of Baireuth lovingly designate "the master."

Wagner's association with the ancient and time honored town of Baireuth dates from 1871. When he first visited it in that year he had an idea that the old opera house then standing could be utilized for the production of his Nibelungen trilogy, but on examination he found it unsuited for that purpose. Nevertheless the beauty of the environs so enchanted him that he determined to make Baireuth the home of his future music. The theater which he succeeded in establishing owed its being largely to the generosity of Ludwig II. of Bavaria, the monarch who ultimately became insane and committed suicide. The corner stone was laid in 1872, and the building was completed in 1876, in which year the first festival took place.

As may be imagined, Baireuth is full of Wagnerian memories, and the old inhabitants tell many interesting stories of the composer, many of which have as their theme his hard struggle for existence, poverty having been the prevailing note in the famous composer's career. He died, it will be remembered, in Venice in 1883, but he was buried in the town he loved so dearly, in the garden back of the Villa Wahnfried, the house wherein he had spent not a few of his happiest hours. Many a visitor to the festivals lays a floral tribute upon his grave.

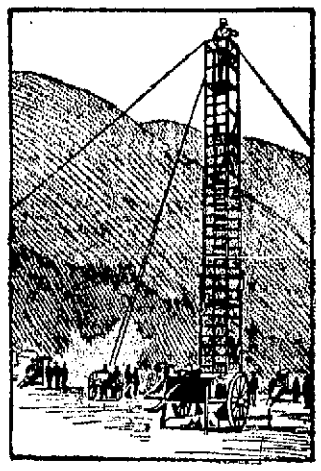
Two other names are inevitably associated with Baireuth, Franz Liszt and Jean Paul Friedrich Richter, Wagner's brother composer, to whom he owed so much in the way of encouragement and financial assistance, is buried in the Baireuth cemetery, not far from the last resting place of the poet Richter, of whom we find pleasing reminiscences everywhere in Baireuth. For nearly a quarter of a century Jean Paul made his home in this quaint, old fashioned town, and opposite the gymnasium stands the monument to him erected in 1841 by King Ludwig I. The sculptor Schwanthaler succeeded in a wonderful way in incorporating in the figure of Jean Paul the genius of the poet of whom it has been said, "His dreams were full of springtime and his springtimes full of dreams."

Frau Cosima Wagner, who has continued the music festivals inaugurated by her husband, is a daughter of Liszt and was first married to Hans von Bulow, from whom she secured a divorce. Nor was she Wagner's first wife, the composer having been married to an actress, Wilhelmine Planer, from whom he separated after having lived with her for twenty years. Frau Cosima was idolized by Wagner, and that she reciprocated his love is the testimony of all who knew them in the old days. Tall and thin, with an aristocratic bearing, she is withal a keen business woman and is assured of an ample income by the royalties from her husband's operas. Their son, Siegfried, is a musician of no mean ability. Indeed, he is acclaimed by many as a musical genius, but there is none rash enough to place him in the same class as his father. He is thirty-four years old, unmarried and noted as a conductor of his father's works.

TRUMAN L. ELTON.

A COLLAPSIBLE TOWER FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

Owing to the nature of the country in which it makes its home the Swiss army experiences a great deal of difficulty in securing satisfactory artillery practice. The trouble has been overcome to a large extent, however, by the



use of high turrets, similar to that shown in the illustration, whereby an observer is enabled to note the accuracy of the artilleryman's aim at a target located amid distant mountains. The towers are strong, but light, and so constructed that they will telescope, thus being moved easily from place to place.

A MUMMIFIED CAT.

When the British war ship Menelaus was broken up the workmen were amazed to find in the side of the vessel the mummified cat shown in the illustration. The war ship was built at Plymouth in 1808, and it is supposed

that while she was being built the unlucky feline, pursuing a rat, jumped between the lining and the outside planking and was wedged there. This unique specimen of mummification is now in the hands of the British customs authorities, but will probably pass ere long into the custody of some museum.

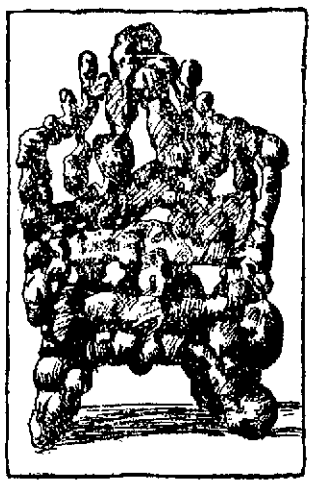
NTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

THE LECTURE ROOM OF A FRENCH PRISON.

remarkable things come out of France, and not the least remarkable d by the accompanying illustration. In accordance with the plans of formed "society for lectures and discussions in prisons," the au- of the prison of Fresnes have fitted up a unique lecture room wherein untary guests of the state listen to some entertaining and, let us hope, e addresses on drink and kindred evils. As will be seen, the unhappy are confined in boxlike arrangements with but an opening sufficient to peer through and so arranged that no prisoner can catch a glimpse llows. The box on the right with the wired aperture is evidently for omodation of some criminal more dangerous than his mates. The Fresnes is famed as being not only the largest in the world, but the nic. It is there that the Humberts are confined.

A CHAIR THAT GREW.

The peculiar formation shown in the accompanying illustration is composed of a vine that grows in Korea and which as it grew from the earth was continually bent by the natives to form the chairlike shape which it has assumed. The knobby excrescences were

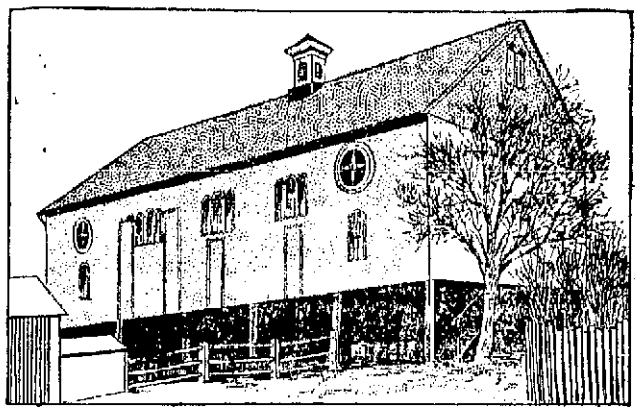


the result of the planting of seeds in the vine. Enthusiastic horticulturists declare that this is one of the most remarkable vegetable freaks in existence. It certainly bears mute testimony to the love of the bizarre which is a characteristic of the people of Korea as well as of those of Japan and China.

HOW THE CHINESE FIGHT THE PLAGUE.

That civilization has a great deal yet to do in China is made manifest by the accompanying illustration, wherein a party of Hongkong Chinese are to be seen engaged in trying to frighten away the devil which they hold responsible for the existence of the plague in their city. Hundreds of Chinese form in procession and make the night hideous with an incessant din produced by yells, gongs, bells, firecrackers, cymbals and all manner of odd looking reed instruments. Even the better classes—men of business whose families have for over half a century come into constant contact with the civilization and religion of the west—take part in these processions. Small wonder is it in view of such conditions that our missionaries find their task in the distant inland cities almost beyond execution.

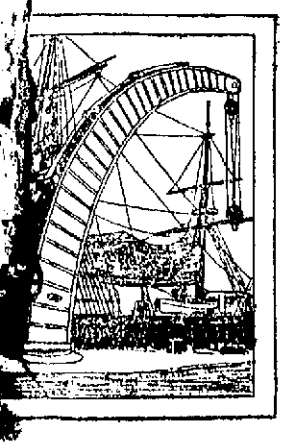
A PENNSYLVANIA HAVEN FOR TRAMPS.



It is not generally known that "hoboes" consider Pennsylvania the most friendly state of the Union, and particularly that section of Pennsylvania which embraces the lower end of Berks county. This part of the state is settled largely by German-Americans, with whom hospitality is the general rule. Of the many who give food and lodging to passing "Weary Willies" none is better known to the tramp fraternity than is Jacob Hiestand, one of the prosperous farmers of the county. It is estimated that Mr. Hiestand's barn, a picture of which is herewith shown, has sheltered no less than 20,000 tramps. The lodging quarters are on the first floor, and here any tramp is welcome to spend the night, provided he will yield any matches or firearms which he may be carrying and which are returned to him ere he takes his departure in the morning.

MAMMOTH CRANE.

olution during recent years in truction and armament of war s necessitated a corresponding n the equipment of the yards these monsters of the deep are ted and repaired. For one



big cranes have had to be put in o lift the heavy guns called for ship specifications. The crane n the illustration stands in a k yard, of which it is a strik- re. It is said to be capable of weight of fifty tons, and it

MAKING A NEWSPAPER IN JAPAN.

Those acquainted with the progressive methods of little Japan will not find anything out of the way in the accompanying illustration, although they may be disposed to smile at the exaggerated imitation visible in this oriental newspaper office. The Japanese never do things by halves, as is apparent in the costume of the leading editorial writer, who has just entered the sanctum with the ubiquitous cigarette in his mouth. The heavily clothed gentleman in the background is presumably a subscriber who has come to enter a protest against some item of news displeasing to him. The editor in chief is to be seen talking animatedly to the foreman of the composing room, who is garbed in attire more picturesque than utilitarian. All in all this Japanese editorial room is an elegant witness to the advance of western civilization.

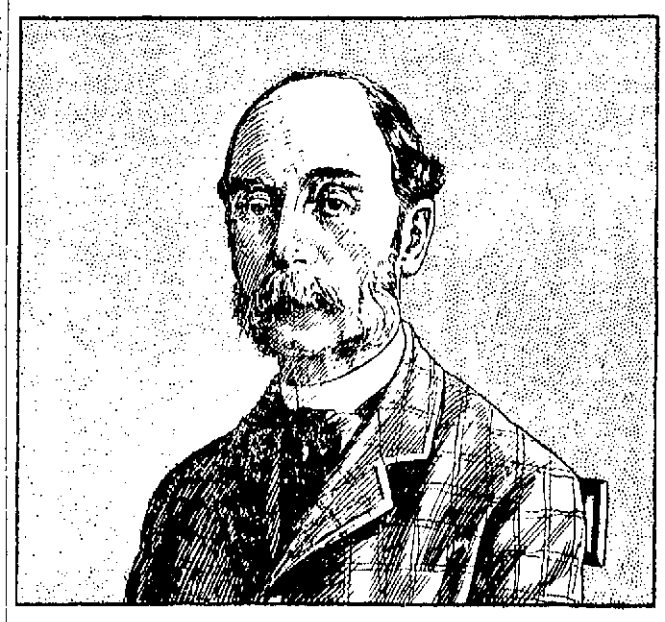
A CHARMING EUROPEAN PRINCESS.

There are few more popular princesses in the old world than the charming Bohemian Princess Pauline Metternich, a portrait of whom is herewith reproduced. She lives with her parents at

PRINCESS PAULINE METTERNICH.

the beautiful castle of Konigswart, in the neighborhood of Marienbad. Now in her twenty-fourth year, the princess is a skilled linguist, an adept sportswoman with gun and rod and a violinist of no mean repute. Her parents are Prince Paul Metternich, grandson of the famous statesman of the Vienna congress, and the Countess Milanie Zichy of the noted family of that name.

THE FATHER-IN-LAW OF EUROPE.



KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK.

Herewith is reproduced the latest portrait of King Christian of Denmark, who has been dubbed the "father-in-law of Europe" owing to the fact that his children have married into reigning families of several of the great powers. One of his daughters is Queen Alexandra of England, who does not let a year pass without paying a visit to her royal sire. The photograph from which the illustration was made was taken at Vienna while King Christian was paying a visit to his son-in-law, the Duke of Cumberland.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY SPHINX.

Residents in the vicinity of Ightham, a village in Kent, England, have been puzzled by the appearance on the face of a large rock of a sphinx, which, as the illustration shows, is not a bad imi-

tation of the famed sphinx of ancient Egypt. The identity of the sculptor who executed this remarkable piece of carving has not as yet been established, although more than a year has passed since the rock was completed. The gigantic proportions of the new sphinx are shown by the diminutive appearance of the man in the foreground of the picture.

DISASTROUS FIRE

Broke Out in Philadelphia Business District

By Associated Press to The Sun

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31—One person dead and possibly two, a dozen persons injured, and a property loss of more than $200,000 is the result of a fire which occurred at noon yesterday in the block bounded by the Schuylkill river, Race, Vine and 23d streets.

The dead: Charles Messmer, aged 16 years.

Missing: M. C. Williams, a roofer.

The buildings destroyed were the flour mill of W. S. Woodward & Sons, and the Baltimore and Ohio grain elevator which adjoined the Woodward structure. The wagon works of H. Kaiser & Co. was damaged by a wall falling upon the roof. The fire began in a frame building between the flour mill and the grain elevator and it quickly spread to these buildings. Eight men were working on the roof of the grain elevator when the fire began and seven of them are known to have made their escape. The eighth, M. C. Williams, cannot be found and it is believed his body is in the ruins.

For a time it looked as though the flames would reach the wagon works and the employes of that place were put to work removing vehicles and other stock. While this was going on the grain elevator wall fell on the roof of the wagon works and buried nearly a dozen men under the debris. Firemen promptly went to the rescue and worked until last night when the body of Messmer, an apprentice, was found, and it was thought they had succeeded in getting all the employes of the works out of the place. August Grimow, a blacksmith, and John D. Lyons, a painter, were painfully but not seriously hurt and ten firemen were also injured during the progress of the fire.

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LOWELL MAN

BISHOP SPALDING, L. L. D.

Elected President of the Teachers' Association

By Associated Press to The Sun

BOSTON, Oct. 31—Tremont Temple could scarcely accommodate the gathering of men and women teachers from all grades of the public schools in Middlesex county who were in attendance at the 51st annual convention held yesterday. There were morning and afternoon sessions.

The morning session was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Dr. Thomas Sims, pastor of the Central Congregational church in Melrose, after which Pres. Fred E. Nickerson, superintendent of the Melrose schools, introduced as the first speaker Dr. Luther H. Gulick, director of physical training in the public schools of New York city, who spoke on "Some Differences in the Development of Boys and Girls."

"The Ethics of the Teaching Profession," was the subject of an address by William H. Maxwell, superintendent of public schools, New York city. The three greatest virtues for a teacher, he said, were culture, independence and gentleness, and the greatest of these is gentleness. The teacher must be helpful to the children and it is only through gentleness that helpfulness may be exercised.

The closing address was by Miss Florence Holbrook, principal of the Forestville school, Chicago, on "Literature in the Eelementary Schools." Miss Holbrook was of the opinion that every normal child has within him the power to enjoy the beauties of literature, and it is for the teacher to awaken this love for what is best. We are all dependent on environment for growth. Feeling antedates thought, and the power to understand precedes the power to express.

A. L. BACHELLER PRESIDENT.

The afternoon session opened with a delightful musical program given by a finely-drilled chorus of 200 boys and girls from the Somerville English high school under the direction of S. Henry Hadley, director of music in the schools of Somerville and Watertown.

Then came a brief business session. The report of the treasurer stated that at the beginning of last year there was a balance on hand of $93.66. The receipts from various sources amounted to $402.86, and the expenditures $273.18, leaving a balance of $219.68.

Supt. Whitcomb of Lowell presented resolutions on the death of Frank A. Hill, secretary of the state board of education in Massachusetts. The resolutions referred to his worth as a teacher, as a man of culture and kindly heart, expressed regret at his loss and sympathy for his family and friends.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Albert L. Bacheller, Lowell; secretary and treasurer, J. Lewis Wightman, Malden; vice presidents, Charles E. Howe, Wakefield; R. J. Pitman, Marlboro; James W. Applebee, Newton; Bradford W. Drake, Waltham; R. W. Corlew, Wayland; executive committee, Robert C. Metcalf, Winchester; John S. Emerson, Somerville; B. C. Gregory, Chelsea; Melissa E. Elder, Everett; W. C. Whiting, Melrose. The following were elected delegates to the Massachusetts Teachers' convention: Fred W. Nickerson, Albert L. Bacheller and J. Lewis Wightman.

Mr. Nickerson, who presided, then introduced as the speaker of the afternoon Rt. Rev. John Lancaster Spalding, bishop of Peoria, Ill., referring to the great honor and pleasure it gave him to present one who had done so much in the cause of education, a man universally loved because of his great service to the people of his state and whose fame as an orator and author was too well known to be rehearsed.

BISHOP SPALDING'S ADDRESS.

Bishop Spalding read his address from manuscript. He said it was in compliment to and respect for his cultured audience that he followed the example of polite society in the French academy and prepared what he had to say rather than trust to the inspiration of the occasion. He received a very cordial greeting.

The speaker began by defining education as the furthering of life—to purify the original sources of man's powers; for the perfection of the esthetic, religious and moral as well as the intellectual and physical. The end and aim of education is to inculcate high ideals of truth and justice and this is the ground of all our hope. School is but an incident. Heredity, environment and work has much to do with the development of our standards and character. We never cease to be molded.

The child must not only be taught what it does not know, but how to behave when he does not behave. The teacher is not a mechanic, but an artist, for his aim is to build men, not to make encyclopedias. The teacher who makes ideals real gets at the heart of the scholar, exalts his mind and purifies his heart. One is self-educated through life. Good, like evil, is commonplace. Take children away from school and place them in an environment devoid of ideals and you invite them to corrupt one another.

The speaker not only touched upon the aim of education, but those agencies which make for character and influence life. There is the home influence which is so largely due to the mother's devotion and love; the education through the teacher at school; the influence of society and the state in which one lives. The free state is the people's university.

Religion is the most quickening influence, that which is embodied in the Christian church. It holds out the hope of immortality and makes men understand the sacredness of human life. It keeps alive feelings of justice, faith, love and holiness, and teaches that they alone are free who free themselves from within. It is the school for respect and loving obedience. Without morality there can be no religion, and without religion there can be no morality for the great mass of mankind. Without schools no church or state can live.

At the close of the address Bishop Spalding held an informal reception on the platform and a very large number took this opportunity of meeting the distinguished prelate. The teachers were presented by Mr. Nickerson.

CRUISER BALTIMORE

STARTED FOR SAN DOMINGO LAST NIGHT.

By Associated Press to The Sun

NEWPORT NEWS, Oct. 31.—The cruiser Baltimore sailed last night for Puerto Plata, San Domingo, where she goes to protect American interests.

THE TERRA NOVA

TO SEARCH FOR THE DISCOVERY.

By Associated Press to The Sun

HOBART, Tasmania, Oct. 31.—The Terra Nova, an auxiliary relief ship formerly a New Foundland whaler, has arrived here after a splendid passage. The morning, the Royal Geographical society's relief ship, is expected daily. Both vessels will start for the relief of the Discovery, the British exploring vessel, the first week in December.

SUNDAY SERMONS

TO BE PREACHED AT DIFFERENT CHURCHES TOMORROW.

ADVENT.

Grand Street, Rev. C. R. Crossett. Morning—"A Radical and Dangerous Change in the Faith of the Church." Evening, "I Must Become Better Before I become a Christian."

UNIVERSALIST.

First, Rev. C. E. Fisher. Morning—"The Light That Never Failed."

Grace, Rev. R. E. Greene. Morning—"Before He Suffered." Communion at noon. Union service with First Universalist church in evening.

PRESBYTERIAN.

First, Rev. James M. Craig. Morning—"John the Baptist." Evening. Anniversary service of the Woman's Missionary Society. Address by Mrs. Scott F. Hershey of Boston.

METHODIST.

St. Paul's, Rev. George B. Dean. Morning—Communion and reception of members. Evening "Moral Insanity."

Worthen Street, Rev. James F. Allen. Morning—"The Present Profit of Christian Service." Evening, "Voices That Reach the Heart."

PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

First, Rev. N. W. Matthews. Morning—"The Right Standard." Evening, "Three Advisors."

Berean, Rev. W. H. Tarrow. Morning—"Does Religion Pay?" Evening, "The Tabernacle in the Wilderness."

BAPTIST.

First, Rev. Smith T. Ford, D. D. Morning—"That Men Might Not Perish." Communion. Evening, "Is the Christian Religion Trustworthy? If so, Why Are People Humbugged?" There will be a prelude on "Dancing parties under the auspices of the High School." Baptism.

Immanuel, Rev. Robert T. True. Morning—"Christ's Coming Reception and Rejection." Evening, "Serving Sin, the Result and Cure."

Worthen Street, Rev. A. P. Wedge. Preaching by the pastor morning and evening.

North Tewksbury, Rev. C. L. Pierce. Morning—"Lessons from Life of Samuel." Mrs. Safford, who recently made a tour of the world in the interest of missions, will deliver an address in the evening.

FREE BAPTIST.

Chelmsford Street, Rev. A. E. Kenyon. Morning—"Following the Christ." Evening, communion service and Lord's Supper.

Mt. Vernon, Rev. Stephen D. Millin. Morning—"The Divinity that Shapes Our Ends." Communion at 12. Evening, "A Chained Blessing."

CONGREGATIONAL.

First Trinitarian, Rev. George F. Kraugott. Morning—"What Is Spirituality." Lord's Supper. Evening, "A Modern Hercules."

Eliot, Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Morning—Communion. Reception of members. "What Doth the Lord Require of Thee?" Evening, "Dowieism vs. the Gospel."

Highland, Rev. T. Clayton Welles. Morning—Communion. "The Living Leader." 4 p. m., Harvest concert. No evening service.

Hillside, Dracut, Rev. J. A. McKnight. Miss Mabel Francis, evangelist, at both morning and evening services.

Pawtucket, Rev. E. R. Smith. Rev. J. M. Greene will preach. Morning—"Not This Man But Barnabus." Evening, "Our Help in Trouble."

UNITARIAN.

First, Rev. Chas. T. Billings. Morning, "All Saints." Evening, Rev. Geo. Hamilton of Everett, Mass., will preach.

Free, Rev. George C. Wright. Morning, "Courageous Under Difficulties"

EPISCOPAL.

St. Anne's, Rev. A. St. John Cl bre, D. D. Holy communion and mon 10.30; evening prayer and Se 7; Sunday school 12.

House of Prayer, Rev. R. G. Ost Low mass at 7.30; high mass at vespers at 7.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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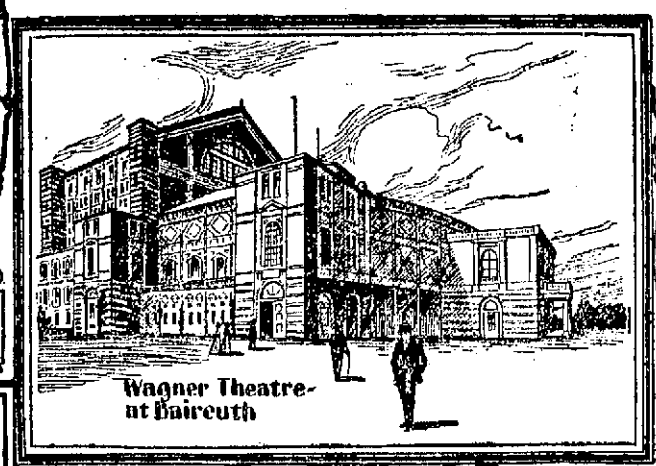
he Wagner-Conried Quarrel Over "Parsifal"

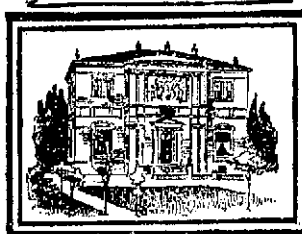
ID vigorous attempt on the part of Frau Cosima Wagner, widow of the great composer, Richard Wagner, to prevent the production in the United of her husband's swan song, his fece, "Parsifal," has, as might ech expected, had the result of g the eyes of the musical world hundreds of thousands who are usical to the little town of Bai- in Bavaria, the cradle of the gen Ring and the other famous euvres of the lamented master. ver may be the opinion concern- propriety of transferring "Par- rom its old world setting to the less reverent audiences of the rld, the fact remains that Herr left this great religious opera eritage" to the town in which he ade his home for so many of the years of his life and by his will l that it should never be pro- outside of Baireuth. Small won- erefore that Frau Wagner, re- ing her husband's wishes, has tooth and nail to prevent the mation of Herr Heinrich Con- d's desires, angered at the thought that in the bejeweled society audiences of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York the religious atmosphere which has prevailed in old Baireuth may be forever lost. On the other hand, one can readily sympathize with the declaration of the manager of the politan Opera company that ow- the superior facilities for produc- d the higher grade of singers ed with him the wonderful e piece will gain rather than its introduction to the new

who have had the opportunity ing the performances of "Par- the periodical music festivals uth bear witness that without is the most impressive opera e ever heard. The very theme ive of reverence, and the man- s production is such as to em- the religious element in its ion. In brief the story of " is as follows: A body of of whom Amfortas is king, oted themselves to the guard- Spanish forest of the Holy chalice from which Christ the last supper and in which d was received on Calvary. has been wounded by Kling- agician, who, angered at hav- refused admission into the this noble brotherhood, by ated a great palace and peo- with beautiful women, whose was to seduce Amfortas and ts. Amfortas himself was to ed by one Kundry, who was arily successful, and it was at that Klingsor wounded the robbed him of the sacred spear it was said, had pierced Christ's hile he was on the cross. The refuses to heal, and a voice from the Holy Grail has told Amfortas that it will not heal until the spear has been rescued from the magician by a "guile-

Frau Cosima Wagner



Wagner Theatre-at Baireuth



The Wagner Villa

less fool" who will come to cure the king.

The opera opens with Amfortas being carried in a litter to a lake to have his wound bathed. As he passes through a glade a wild swan, the bird sacred to the grail, falls dying before his litter, shot by Parsifal, the posthumous son of Gamuret and Herzeleid, a lad reared in solitude from his earliest youth and now totally unacquainted with the ways of the world. The knights seize Parsifal and bring him before Amfortas, who is informed by Gurnemanz, an aged hermit, that this may be the "guileless fool" prophesied by the voice. Gurnemanz takes Parsifal to the castle temple to witness the unveiling of the Holy Grail. So wonderful and impressive is the scene that the youth is awe-struck into a silence which Gurnemanz mistakes for indifference. In anger he drives him out. In his subsequent wanderings Parsifal enters Klingsor's realm, where Kundry and a bevy of beautiful damsels try to tempt him to stay. Remembering the king's misery and the Holy Grail, Parsifal resists their allurements, and in anger Klingsor hurls at him the sacred spear, which, however, remains poised in the air. Parsifal seizes it, and castle, magician and maidens vanish. Eventually Amfortas is cured, and Kundry, the Mary Magdalen of the opera, is redeemed.

As will be seen, there is ample opportunity here for magnificent staging, and those who have witnessed the opera in Baireuth say that they have never seen such picturesque effects as those produced under the direction of Frau Wagner and her son, Siegfried, both of whom exercise an absolute dictatorship in the famous theater, which will accommodate about 1,400 people and stands on a little hill about a mile to the north of the town itself. It is a large red building, not very impressive architecturally, but towering above the trees that surround it. Hither while the music festival, which lasts from a month to six weeks, is in progress a great pilgrimage takes place. Unlike the custom in other theaters, the opera begins at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and those not in their seats when the curtain rises are given no opportunity of witnessing the first act.

Scene from Parsifal

The Wagner Library

Siegfried Wagner

Upon the conclusion of this act there is a short intermission, and at the end of the second act an hour is given for dinner, which may be obtained at the two restaurants in the theater grounds. Many, fearing the crush at the restaurants, take sandwiches and cakes with them, and are at liberty to stroll at will through the beautiful groves about the opera house. The last act usually begins at a quarter past 8, and the spectators may be in their homes by 10 o'clock, though the great majority prefer to linger for supper after the opera. The Germans, be it noted, take opera seriously and not, as do the generality of peoples, merely as a form of entertainment. Perhaps it is this more than anything else that contributes to the veneration with which the Wagnerian productions are received. When the first note sounds from the hidden orchestra a deep silence falls upon all present. From the beginning to the end of such pieces as "Parsifal" there is no applause, but the singers can feel the intense sympathy of their auditors and know that their efforts are appreciated. It is said that many of those present sit as if spellbound after the fall of the curtain and appear loath to leave the scene of their intellectual and spiritual treat. And this, it is added, applies to "Parsifal" rather than to any other of the magnificent works of him whom the people of Baireuth lovingly designate "the master."

Wagner's association with the ancient and time honored town of Baireuth dates from 1871. When he first visited it in that year he had an idea that the old opera house then standing could be utilized for the production of his Nibelungen trilogy, but on examination he found it unsuited for that purpose. Nevertheless the beauty of the environs so enchanted him that he determined to make Baireuth the home of his future music. The theater which he succeeded in establishing owed its being largely to the generosity of Ludwig II, of Bavaria, the monarch who ultimately became insane and committed suicide. The corner stone was laid in 1872, and the building was completed in 1876, in which year the first festival took place.

As may be imagined, Baireuth is full of Wagnerian memories, and the old inhabitants tell many interesting stories of the composer, many of which have as their theme his hard struggle for existence, poverty having been the prevailing note in the famous composer's career. He died, it will be remembered, in Venice in 1883, but he was buried in the town he loved so dearly, in the garden back of the Villa Wahnfried, the house wherein he had spent not a few of his happiest hours. Many a visitor to the festivals lays a floral tribute upon his grave.

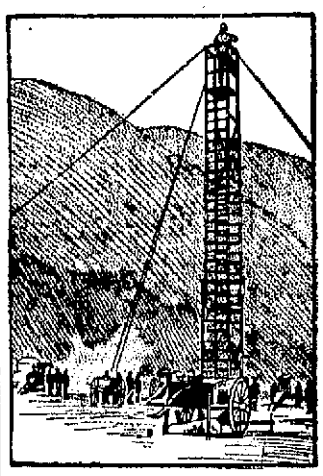
Two other names are inevitably associated with Baireuth, Franz Liszt and Jean Paul Friedrich Richter. Wagner's brother composer, to whom he owed so much in the way of encouragement and financial assistance, is buried in the Baireuth cemetery, not far from the last resting place of the poet Richter, of whom we find pleasing reminiscences everywhere in Baireuth. For nearly a quarter of a century Jean Paul made his home in this quaint, old fashioned town, and opposite the gymnasium stands the monument to him erected in 1841 by King Ludwig I. The sculptor Schwanthaler succeeded in a wonderful way in incorporating in the figure of Jean Paul the genius of the poet of whom it has been said, "His dreams were full of springtime and his springtimes full of dreams."

Frau Cosima Wagner, who has continued the music festivals inaugurated by her husband, is a daughter of Liszt and was first married to Hans von Bulow, from whom she secured a divorce. Nor was she Wagner's first wife, the composer having been married to an actress, Wilhelmine Planer, from whom he separated after having lived with her for twenty years. Frau Cosima was idolized by Wagner, and that she reciprocated his love is the testimony of all who know them in the old days. Tall and thin, with an aristocratic bearing, she is withal a keen business woman and is assured of an ample income by the royalties from her husband's operas. Their son, Siegfried, is a musician of no mean ability. Indeed, he is acclaimed by many as a musical genius, but there is none rash enough to place him in the same class as his father. He is thirty-four years old, unmarried and noted as a conductor of his father's works.

TRUMAN L. ELTON.

A COLLAPSIBLE TOWER FOR MILITARY PURPOSES.

Owing to the nature of the country in which it makes its home the Swiss army experiences a great deal of difficulty in securing satisfactory artillery practice. The trouble has been overcome to a large extent, however, by the



use of high turrets, similar to that shown in the illustration, whereby an observer is enabled to note the accuracy of the artilleryman's aim at a target located amid distant mountains. The towers are strong, but light, and so constructed that they will telescope, thus being moved easily from place to place.

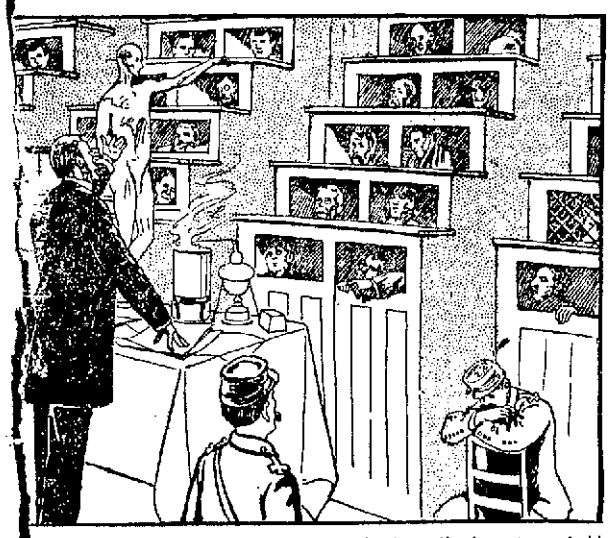
A MUMMIFIED CAT.

When the British war ship Menelaus was broken up the workmen were amazed to find in the side of the vessel the mummified cat shown in the illustration. The war ship was built at Plymouth in 1808, and it is supposed

that while she was being built the unlucky feline, pursuing a rat, jumped between the lining and the outside planking and was wedged there. This unique specimen of mummification is now in the hands of the British customs authorities, but will probably pass ere long into the custody of some museum.

NTERESTING PICTURES GATHERED FROM FAR AND NEAR

THE LECTURE ROOM OF A FRENCH PRISON.



remarkable things come out of France, and not the least remarkable l by the accompanying illustration. In accordance with the plans of y formed "society for lectures and discussions in prisons," the au- of the prison of Fresnes have fitted up a unique lecture room wherein intary guests of the state listen to some entertaining and, let us hope, e addresses on drink and kindred evils. As will be seen, the unhappy are confined in boxlike arrangements with but an opening sufficient to peer through and so arranged that no prisoner can catch a glimpse llows. The box on the right with the wired aperture is evidently for modation of some criminal more dangerous than his mates. The Fresnes is famed as being not only the largest in the world, but the nic. It is there that the Humberts are confined.

A CHAIR THAT GREW.

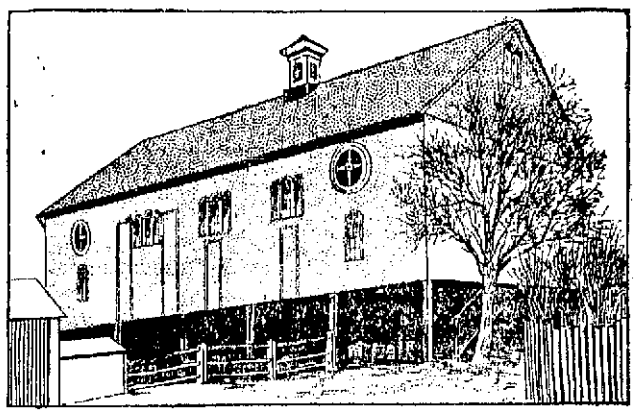
The peculiar formation shown in the accompanying illustration is composed of a vine that grows in Korea and which as it grew from the earth was continually bent by the natives to form the chairlike shape which it has assumed. The knobby excrescences were

the result of the planting of seeds in the vine. Enthusiastic horticulturists declare that this is one of the most remarkable vegetable freaks in existence. It certainly bears mute testimony to the love of the bizarre which is a characteristic of the people of Korea as well as of those of Japan and China.

HOW THE CHINESE FIGHT THE PLAGUE.

That civilization has a great deal yet to do in China is made manifest by the accompanying illustration, wherein a party of Hongkong Chinese are to be seen engaged in trying to frighten away the devil which they hold responsible for the existence of the plague in their city. Hundreds of Chinese form in procession and make the night hideous with an incessant din produced by yells, gongs, bells, firecrackers, cymbals and all manner of odd looking reed instruments. Even the better classes—men of business whose families have for over half a century come into constant contact with the civilization and religion of the west—take part in these processions. Small wonder is it in view of such conditions that our missionaries find their task in the distant inland cities almost beyond execution.

A PENNSYLVANIA HAVEN FOR TRAMPS.



It is not generally known that "hoboes" consider Pennsylvania the most friendly state of the Union, and particularly that section of Pennsylvania which embraces the lower end of Berks county. This part of the state is settled largely by German-Americans, with whom hospitality is the general rule. Of the many who give food and lodging to passing "Weary Willies" none is better known to the tramp fraternity than is Jacob Hiestand, one of the prosperous farmers of the county. It is estimated that Mr. Hiestand's barn, a picture of which is herewith shown, has sheltered no less than 20,000 tramps. The lodging quarters are on the first floor, and here any tramp is welcome to spend the night, provided he will yield any matches or firearms which he may be carrying and which are returned to him ere he takes his departure in the morning.

MAMMOTH CRANE.

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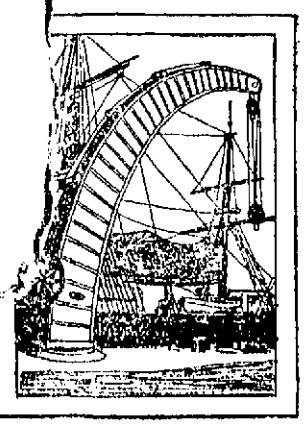


thing, big cranes have had to be put in place to lift the heavy guns called for by war ship specifications. The crane shown in the illustration stands in a naval dock yard, of which it is a striking feature. It is said to be capable of lifting a weight of fifty tons, and it

MAKING A NEWSPAPER IN JAPAN.

Those acquainted with the progressive methods of little Japan will not find anything out of the way in the accompanying illustration, although they may be disposed to smile at the exaggerated imitation visible in this oriental newspaper office. The Japanese never do things by halves, as is apparent in the costume of the leading editorial writer, who has just entered the sanctum with the ubiquitous cigarette in his mouth. The heavily clothed gentleman in the background is presumably a subscriber who has come to enter a protest against some item of news displeasing to him. The editor in chief is to be seen talking animatedly to the foreman of the composing room, who is garbed in attire more picturesque than utilitarian. All in all this Japanese editorial room is an eloquent witness to the advance of western civilization.

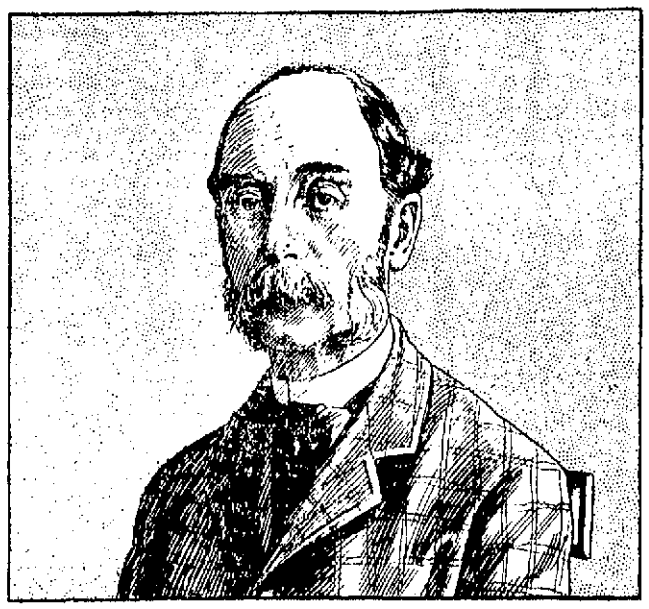
A CHARMING EUROPEAN PRINCESS.

There are few more popular princesses in the old world than the charming Bohemian Princess Pauline Metternich, a portrait of whom is herewith reproduced. She lives with her parents at

PRINCESS PAULINE METTERNICH.

the beautiful castle of Konigswart, in the neighborhood of Marienbad. Now in her twenty-fourth year, the princess is a skilled linguist, an adept sportswoman with gun and rod and a violinist of no mean repute. Her parents are Prince Paul Metternich, grandson of the famous statesman of the Vienna congress, and the Countess Milanie Zichy of the noted family of that name.

THE FATHER-IN-LAW OF EUROPE.



KING CHRISTIAN OF DENMARK.

Herewith is reproduced the latest portrait of King Christian of Denmark, who has been dubbed the "father-in-law of Europe" owing to the fact that his children have married into reigning families of several of the great powers. One of his daughters is Queen Alexandra of England, who does not let a year pass without paying a visit to her royal sire. The photograph from which the illustration was made was taken at Vienna while King Christian was paying a visit to his son-in-law, the Duke of Cumberland.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY SPHINX.

Residents in the vicinity of Ightham, a village in Kent, England, have been puzzled by the appearance on the face of a large rock of a sphinx, which, as the illustration shows, is not a bad imi-

tation of the famed sphinx of ancient Egypt. The identity of the sculptor who executed this remarkable piece of carving has not as yet been established, although more than a year has passed since the rock was completed. The gigantic proportions of the new sphinx are shown by the diminutive appearance of the man in the foreground of the picture.

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UNTIMELY DEATH

Miss Minnie L. Corr Passes Away

It was with the keenest regret that the many friends of Miss Minnie L. Corr, a brilliant young lady of St. Peter's parish, learned of her death last evening, which occurred yesterday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Corr, 36 Cedar street. Deceased had been confined to her home with illness only a few months and though not of a serious nature, her condition gradually grew worse this week until yesterday, when the end came as peacefully as was her whole life.

Miss Corr was 22 years of age, a graduate of the Edson and High schools, the latter of the class of 1900, where in both she won the confidence of teachers and pupils as an exemplary scholar. Possessed of a gentle and loving disposition, coupled with her beautiful traits of Christian character, she endeared herself to all who came within the bounds of her acquaintanceship. A devout Catholic, she for many years was a Sunday school teacher at St. Peter's church, where again she was beloved and respected by all. On all sides are heard expressions of sorrow for the grief-stricken family, for in a short space of time death has removed from the household, where once all was sunshine, a beloved son and a devoted daughter, Leo Corr having passed away just six weeks ago yesterday.

The soul of amiability, Miss Corr made many friends wherever she went, and the cutting off of such a young and useful life while yet in the bloom of womanhood with bright prospects for her eventual success, is deeply mourned by all and her loss may well be termed irreparable. She is survived, besides her father and mother, by one sister, Miss Maud Corr. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community in this their hour of sorrow.

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NASHUA, Oct. 31—The fourth day's racing at the Fair Grounds wound up the customary thirteen heats and left two races unfinished. The latter have a tendency to change during the night, and a winner turns up from an unlooked quarter the next day.

The 2.20 pace was expected to require one more heat to make Glenmeda take first money, but Worriment won three heats before any one knew what was doing. Glenmeda acted like a different horse, and the judges finally put up Payne to drive the last heat, but the mare was all in and could hardly last the mile out. Online, Jr., won fourth money and did not have to go in the last heat at all.

The 2.14 pace had all kinds of favorites, Nancy Allen, Chum Boy and Celia having a heavy following. An exceedingly dark horse, Ohio M, won the event in straight heats, without any trouble, Nancy Allen taking second, while Chum Boy was outside the money.

The 2.24 pace had as a starter Argue, from the Cox stable, that won a clever race on Tuesday, and took the first heat yesterday, but Cox had to come to a drive to stall off The Goat, belonging to Richard Murphy of Lowell, right at the wire.

In the second heat Argue made a break on the first turn and couldn't make up the lost ground. The Goat stepped around Ringewood in the stretch and cut his mark to 2.19¾. This race was then postponed.

The 2.20 trot was won by Kitty Wilkes, the only mistake she made being in the third heat, which was won by Jimmy Michael, who was equal to her in speed, but went to a break at critical stages.

The 2.18 pace went only one heat and was won by Lady Vleser in 2.17¼. The King horse showed a deal of speed, but had a tendency to make bad breaks.

SPECIAL WRINGER SALE.

The Thompson Hardware Co. are offering some attractive bargains in Wringers. It will pay every housekeeper to visit this sale.

LUCKY "JIM"

MEERSCHAUM PIPE PRESENTED TO MR. McCARTHY.

"Jim" McCarthy, who is supervising the work of painting the gasometer at the Lowell Gas Co., was agreeably surprised yesterday, when he received a handsome meerschaum pipe from his men as a token of their esteem. Mr. Thomas B. Murphy, in behalf of his fellow workmen, in a brief, but well chosen speech, presented the pipe and the recipient, although greatly surprised made an appropriate response, thanking them one and all and assuring them that their kindness would not be forgotten. "Jim" invited the boys to call on him at his home some evening and "hit the pipe."

CASTO THEATRE

For next week at the Casto, Manager Haynes will present the Hoosier Zouaves, 17 men, who were the hit of the season at Hammerstin's Paradise Roof, New York City; the White Tscherkess Trio, a European novelty act; Ascott and Eddie, novelty dancers and acrobatic comedians; Pettingill and De Forrest, the kings of conversational comedy; McIntyre and Rice, in "Brannigan and the Leading Lady"; Cora Miskel and her pickaninnies; Al. Coleman, the mimical monologuist, and Lillian Shaw, the character comedienne. Reserved seats can be ordered by telephone 815-3.

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Sales for the Week Ending Nov. 7, 1903

Monday Forenoon at 10 o'clock

As Mortgagees, we shall sell without limit or reserve, to the highest bidders for cash, at Absolute Auction Sale,

The Extensive Aqueduct and Railroad Contractor's Equipment of Shanahan, Woolfolk & Company,

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as used in constructing sections 2, 3, 5 and 12 of the Weston Aqueduct, so-called, of the Metropolitan Water Supply System of Massachusetts, and, with the exception of the large Air Compressor Plant, now located on the premises and in the stables of C. L. Pierce, corner of Cross and Worcester streets, or opposite the railroad station, on the Fitchburg and Boston line and the Lowell and Taunton line, of the Taunton division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., at Framingham, Massachusetts, where the sale will take place.

Two McKiernan horizontal Corliss-Cross compound steam and Cross compound air type compressors, 36 in. stroke, with independent intercooler and two 150 h. p. horizontal boilers. The air compressors are beautiful pieces of machinery, designed and built in the best manner, with the idea of securing the greatest possible economy. They are housed where used, and for a nominal rental can remain until April 1, 1904. Four American Road Machine Co.'s 20 h. p. Ajax portable engines mounted on 25 h. p. Farquhar boilers. Gates' No. 12 portable stone crusher, 3 Champion No. 4 portable stone crushers, 2 cubical concrete mixers, 6 rotary screening plants, 28 force, diaphragm, rotary, centrifugal, duplex, single and Bulldozer pumps, by Douglas, Edson, Vanwie & Fitzgerald, Worthington, Myers, Knowles, Cameron, Deane, Blake, Carlin and others; 5 gasolene engines, by Church and Hamilton; Otto gas engine, small O. & S., Lawrence and vertical [illegible] Lidgerwood skeleton and [illegible] engines, Headley and Atlas [illegible] 25 h. p. engines and boilers [illegible] h. p. upright boilers; Ames P[illegible] 1 and 2 horse sectional roll[illegible] ft. derrick, complete, 18 steam [illegible] drills, by McKiernan, Wood and [illegible] tripods, columns and weights, [illegible] of new parts for drills, 7 U. S. [illegible] firing batteries, immense quantity [illegible] iron pipe, from 1 in. to 8 in. [illegible] fittings and valves, 5 Stuebner [illegible] cars, lot of railroad iron, from [illegible] lbs. to the yard; scrapers, skips, [illegible] els, wheelbarrows, picks, bars, [illegible] grub hoes, etc., etc., etc. Nine [illegible] lent horses, 14 first-class mules, [illegible] Old Hickory and Ames co[illegible] dump carts, 16 Kentucky [illegible] Hickory contractor's wagons, [illegible] er carts, 2 runabout wagons, 1 [illegible] sets good cart harness, 8 sets [illegible] team harness, 2 single driving [illegible] es, 2 riding saddles, all office [illegible] camp housekeeping outfit, etc.

The sale will begin prompt[illegible] o'clock in the forenoon of [illegible] Nov. 2, 1903, regardless of any [illegible] conditions. The property will [illegible] exhibition during the days of [illegible] and 31. All inquiries of [illegible] should be made at the office [illegible] auctioneers, from whom a [illegible] catalogue of the property may [illegible] tained.

UNITED STATES FIDELITY & GUARANTY [illegible]
Of Baltimore, Maryland, Mortg[illegible]

Thursday Afternoon at 3 o'clock

THE VERY DESIRABLE AND VALUABLE "DOWN TOWN" "STREET" PROPERTY ON METHUEN STREET, BETWEEN [illegible] SON STREET AND APPLETON STREET, LAWRENCE, [illegible] CHUSETTS, KNOWN AS THE LAWRENCE GENERAL HOS[illegible] ESTATE, HAS BEEN SURVEYED AND DIVIDED INTO T[illegible] LOTS AND IS NOW PLEDGED WITHOUT LIMIT OR RE[illegible] TO THE HIGHEST BIDDERS AT ABSOLUTE AUCTION SA[illegible]

The premises are practically in the very heart of the business c[illegible] Lawrence, are within one hundred feet of the Post Office, are less [illegible] feet from City Hall and the new Essex County Court House and [illegible] of Deeds; the principal business banks, savings banks, department [illegible] general mercantile business and newspaper offices of the city are [illegible] a few hundred feet. All the trunk lines of electric cars pass within [illegible] three minutes' walk of the lots.

Each lot faces Methuen Street and extends back to the fourth [illegible] passageway running in from Jackson Street. The most westerly of t[illegible] lots also has a frontage on the twenty-five-foot street between Methuen [illegible] and the passage way.

While real estate on Essex Street is worth a great deal more [illegible] Methuen Street, it costs a great deal more in interest and taxes e[illegible] to carry it, and the difference in rentals will not make up for the d[illegible] in cost. There are many businesses for which either lot of the hospit[illegible] is just as good and the saving in interest and taxes will make a [illegible] profitable. Again as Lawrence grows and prospers there will not be [illegible] this very central district for all who desire to locate on Essex Street [illegible] Street frontage will become so valuable that business men will be c[illegible] to seek room for growth and extention in the rear, rather than a[illegible] expensive front, by bridging over or tunnelling under the passage wa[illegible] rear to the cheaper and less expensive property on Methuen Street. [illegible] no more than has been done in all the larger cities of New England [illegible] are half a dozen examples of it in Lowell between Merrimack and [illegible] Streets. The Essex Street lots being so shallow, only 80 feet, it w[illegible] sooner than you expect. It cannot be but a few years judging from [illegible] twenty, before property in this section of Methuen Street will be as [illegible] as that on Essex Street is today. With proper improvements it [illegible] handsomely while you wait. Only a few years ago land on Essex S[illegible] for $2.25 a square foot and the same land has sold within twelve m[illegible] $5.25 a square foot.

This sale will take place on the premises, regardless of any cond[illegible] the weather, on Thursday, the 5th day of November, 1903, con[illegible] promptly at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Lot 1

The large, substantial, three story and basement brick buildi[illegible] gravel roof, and 4914 square feet of land, numbered 131 and 133 [illegible] Street.

There are twenty-seven rooms, including the two large rooms u[illegible] men's and women's wards; also four bath rooms, seven toilet r[illegible] dry, storeroom, three pantries, passenger elevator, dumb waiter, [illegible] fireplaces, large refrigerator built in, front and rear stairways, s[illegible] ventilation, remarkably large number of closets, hot and cold water [illegible] the building, hard wood floors throughout, and the whole heated by [illegible] steam plant. The lot has a frontage of 63 feet on Methuen Street, [illegible] same on the passageway in the rear; also 78 feet on the 25-foot street [illegible] westerly side. Every foot of the land is available for improvement.

Lot 2

2808 square feet of land between lots 1 and 3. It has the same [illegible] 36 feet, on street and passageway; is level up above the grade of th[illegible] with stone wall in front and rear.

Lot 3

The two story brick building with gravel roof, and 2808 square [illegible] land, numbered 125 Methuen Street. It has nine rooms including la[illegible] room and dormitories; also two bath rooms, laundry, pantries, and [illegible] rooms; has hot and cold water upstairs and down; closets, front [illegible] stairs and storerooms; and is heated throughout by a new steam pla[illegible] lot has a frontage of 36 feet on Methuen Street and an equal fron[illegible] the passageway in the rear. Every foot of this lot is available for im[illegible] ment.

Terms: The purchaser of lot one must deposit with the Auctioneer [illegible] just as soon as struck off; the purchaser of lot two $500 and on lot th[illegible] one half of the purchase money, and possibly two-thirds, on eit[illegible] lot, can remain on mortgage with interest at rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

The buildings will be open for inspection after 10 a. m. on the day of sale, or before upon application at the Children's Home. Small plans of the estate may be had at the office of the Auctioneers, upon application by mail or otherwise; or at the Children's Home.

The Children's Home (lot 3) will be sold subject to the right to occupy it, as now used not longer than May 1st next. The Ladies' Union Charitable Society agrees to pay the new owner fair and reasonable rent for the same until vacated by the society. The entire estate will be sold under the restriction that no part of the property shall be used for hospital purposes within twenty years from the date of sale.

WALTER E. PARKER, Chairman Advisory Board.
CLARA F. PRESCOTT, Treasurer, Ladies' Union Charitable Society.

C. F. KEYES, - - Auctioneer

Office, Old B. & M. Station, Green Street, Lowell, Mass.

Important Notice to People Looking for Fancy Horses

One of the best known horsemen in the state of Maine, Mr. A. R. Stafford, will arrive with 17 high-classed horses, and will make his headquarters with C. F. Keyes, Green street. This lot of horses will be offered at private sale only, and they will be shown to the satisfaction of intending purchasers. They will arrive in Lowell at 10 o'clock, Thursday. They consist of matched pairs, short and long tails, 3 excellent combination horses in the lot, 4 excellent single horses, 3 very fast high-going, single cobs; the pairs are all thoroughly broken single and double, and without a doubt, this is one of the most expensive loads of horses ever shipped to Lowell. The horses are of a good size and good colors, and they are thoroughly broken. Mr. Keyes thinks that this is an excellent opportunity for parties at home to get a nice horse or a pair, because they can have every opportunity to see the horses driven to all the city objects. We invite all parties who are interested in high-classed horses to call at the stables and see this lot of Mr. Stafford's.

Monday, Nov. 2, 1903, at 4 o'clock

FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, A 3½ STORY BUILDING AND ABOUT 5315 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 474, 476 AND 478 MERRIMACK STREET, CONTAINING TWO STORES AND STABLE ON GROUND FLOOR, AND ABOUT EIGHTEEN ROOMS.

Longing to rid myself of that care and responsibility which confronts one in handling property, and also being about to leave the city in January, I have pledged this property for absolute auction sale to whomsoever will bid the highest. It is a substantially well constructed building, of two stores, Nos. 474 and 478 Merrimack street, a stable in the rear, with concrete driveway to same, and eighteen very fine rooms which are at present rented to one person. The total rental received at the present time is about $1320 a year, but has rented for much more than this, and should do so today, with the proper attention.

It is seldom the opportunity is offered the investor, to purchase down town property at the public price, but here it is, on the business side of our main street, where thousands upon thousands pass daily, almost opposite the Memorial building, so situated as never to decrease in value, for the population in upper Merrimack street, has increased 20 per cent. in the last ten years, and is still growing. So, if you want to invest where you are sure not to fail, then this is your opportunity.

The lot contains about 5315 square feet of land with a frontage on Merrimack street of about 56 feet. There are passageways on both sides of the building, which gives you easy access to the rear.

TERMS: $1000 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

Make all inquiries at the office of the auctioneer.

By the order of ELIZABETH COSGROVE.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock

ABSOLUTE SALE OF FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PROPERTY, THREE-STORY BLOCK OF TWO STORES AND FOUR TENEMENTS AT NOS. 218, 218½ AND 220 MIDDLESEX STREET.

Under no condition would I dispose of this parcel of real estate, for to me it is a fine paying property, but for reasons over which I have no control I must leave this part of the country for the west, so I am determined to sell, and feel that the best way to realize the most money is to put it up at public sale.

The property in question is a three-story building and about 2038 square feet of land situated on the southerly side of Middlesex street. There are two good stores and four tenements and pays at the present time about $972 a year, but with some slight alterations which I had under advisement this property should pay $1200 a year, for it is on one of the best business streets in our city, on a direct line to the railroad station, on the southerly side of the street where most of the travel is done, and is a property that is paying a fine percentage from the start on the price you will buy it for. The wise investor now-a-days centers his ideas on business property, for if any property shall increase in value it is that, so here we have it: well situated, good paying, in very fine repair, and sacrificed to you, who will get the full benefit of my unfortunate conditions, for I mean to make positive sale, if the purchaser complies with the terms.

TERMS: $600 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be read at sale.

GAGO K. ECHMALIAN.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, 1903, at 4 o'clock

TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY HOUSE AND ABOUT 1050 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 30 AND 32 SOUTH STREET.

I wish to make a positive sale of this parcel of property, so I will advertise and sell to the person bidding the highest for it. I have not enjoyed the best of health the past few years and have been advised by a physician in order to regain my health, I must leave this climate, so that is my intention, and were it not the conditions, I would not think of selling as for it is paying me a very good revenue.

The house is a 2½ story building of two tenements and a store. The upstairs tenement contains five rooms, bath, hot and cold water and is a very neat tenement. The tenement in the rear has three rooms and the store in front is quite large and is well adapted for mostly any kind of business. It is situated on the easterly side of South street between Appleton and Middlesex streets, the last named street being one of our busiest thoroughfares. It is but a few minutes' walk to the several large industries north of Middlesex street, two minutes' walk to the postoffice and quite handy to all city wants. It will easily average $35 a month, and to one wishing a good sound investment, he should give this sale some consideration, for I must make positive sale on the day advertised.

TERMS: $300 must be paid as a deposit to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms at sale.

SAMSON KAPRIALIAN.

Thursday, Nov. 5, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

NINE HEAD OF FINE JERSEY AND ASYHIRE COWS AT THE WELL-KNOWN PRATT HOMESTEAD, MIDDLESEX VILLAGE.

As it is our wish to close our stables by the first of December, for this reason we have instructed the auctioneer to advertise and sell on the premises, regardless of the weather, this fine lot of cattle. They have all been raised on the farm and are an extra fine lot.

Full descriptions will be given at the time of sale.

TERMS: Cash.

By order of MRS. C. M. PRATT.

Saturday, Nov. 7, 1903, at 2.30 o'clock

ON THE ABOVE DATE I WILL MAKE AN ABSOLUTE SALE OF MY COTTAGE HOUSE AND ABOUT 1643 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 49 JEWETT STREET.

My only reasons for so doing are, that I have recently purchased a place in the country where I intend to move, so in order to meet the obligations connected with same, the sale will be made positive, regardless of any condition of the weather. The house consists of eight well-lighted, airy rooms, it is piped for gas, has the best of sewerage, is well located on the street, right on the square at the pumping station, on a high elevation of the street and makes a cosy, neat little home. I am bound to sell for reasons which I have stated above, and the one who gets it will make a good buy. You're but a few minutes' walk to the electrics on Bridge street and in a very fine neighborhood.

TERMS: $200 must be paid to the auctioneer as soon as struck off; other terms made known at time of sale.

D. J. SULLIVAN.

Saturday, Nov. 7, 1903, Commencing Promptly at 3 o'clock

HEIRS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE OF THE LATE WILLIAM MURPHY. FOURTEEN PARCELS OF PROPERTY, ON BOWDEN, COSGROVE, CHIPPEWA AND SARATOGA STREETS.

In order to settle the estate of the late William Murphy, I will offer the several parcels of real estate described in th efollowing:

First Parcel—Cottage house and about 3500 square feet of land at No. 65 Cosgrove street. It contains seven rooms of good size, it is well located, being clustered with many other small homes, and where the occupants of each are the respective owners, and they take pride in caring for and beautifying their surroundings, so in making a selection for a small home, you make not a mistake in this neighborhood. The lot contains about 3500 square feet with a frontage on Cosgrove street of about 35 feet and has fine yard room.

Second Parcel—Cottage house and about 3500 square feet of land at No. 69 Cosgrove street. This also has seven rooms, good yard room all fenced in and adjoins No. 65.

Third Parcel—Cottage house and about 4300 square feet of land, situated at the corner of Bowden and Chippewa streets, being No. 59 Bowden street. The house contains seven rooms, has good yard room, concrete walk on Bowden street, a frontage of about 45 feet on Bowden street and about 95 feet on Chippewa street and contains about 4300 square feet.

Fourth Parcel—Cottage house and about 7700 square feet of land at No. 55 Bowden street. This is also a seven room cottage. The lot has a frontage on Bowden street of about 81 feet and contains about 7700 square feet.

Fifth and Sixth Parcels are two lots of land situated on the northerly side of Bowden street and contain about 5000 sq. feet each with frontages of 50 feet each on the street, they are well adapted for building purposes, have good size and are high and dry.

Lots 7, 8 and 9 are three lots of land situated on the northerly side of Saratoga street, each containing about 4000 square feet with frontages on the street of about 42 feet. Lot No. 7 is a corner lot, and in fact, they all are good building sites.

Lots 10, 11 and 12 each contains about 4100 square feet with frontages of about 41 feet and are situated directly opposite lots 7, 8 and 9 on Saratoga street.

Lots 13 and 14 are two lots of land, each containing about 2¼ acres, situated to the south of Saratoga street and fronting on a 16½ foot passageway leading from Gorham street to the Thomas Egan place. They each have about 198 foot frontages on said passageway and are of very rich soil.

TERMS: $200 must be paid at time and place of sale on first, second, third and fourth parcels; the same must be done with $25 on 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12; and $50 on 13th and 14th. Other terms at sale.

JOHN W. McEVOY, Attorney for all the Heirs.

Monday, Nov. 9, 1903, at 4 o'clock

THIS EXCELLENT PIECE OF REALTY, THREE STORES, SIX TENEMENTS AND ABOUT 6884 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NOS. 79 TO 87 BRANCH STREET AND 35 QUEEN STREET.

I have for a long time wanted to release myself from the care of real estate, and the time has come when I think my wish will be realized, for I will place on the market for public competition, at the premises, this fine paying block.

It is a three-story building of the best construction, the foundation is very heavy and substantial, bricked pillars being used instead of the ordinary postings. The cellars are all cemented and are all separated, with entrance to the yard in rear. There are three large stores, with large show windows, each store has its own furnace in basement for heating, they are well adapted for mostly any kind of business, they are situated in a largely inhabited part of the city and haveevery convenience of up-to-date stores.

The tenements are in flats, there are two of seven rooms and four of six rooms, they have all the modern conveniences, hot and cold water, electric bells, separate baths, gas lighting, and exceptionally well-constructed, wide piazzas in rear, for drying clothes, connected from top story to ground, there is also an ash-shute in rear from top story to a bricked pit on ground. It rents for about $1740 a year. The entire surface about the building is all concreted, also a fine driveway of the same material to rear of stores from Queen street. There are two entrances to the tenements on Branch street, the stair casings are wide and commodious, the flats entirely separate, and are modern and cheerful in every respect. It is well situated in an excellent neighborhood, where it can always command good rents, a double track electric service passing the door every few minutes, and on a corner where you will never be crowded to darkness.

The lot contains about 6884 square feet of land with a frontage on Branch street of about 55 feet.

This is without doubt a fine site to place an investment, and I feel the purchaser, whoever it may be, will feel greatly rewarded for attending the sale.

TERMS: $1000 must be deposited to the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off; other terms will be made known at sale.

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